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1.Introduction

• Project Title: Fertilizer Recommendation System For Agriculture Using AI

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# ABSTRACT

In modern agriculture, ensuring optimal crop health and preventing plant diseases are critical to enhancing productivity and sustainability. This project, titled "AI-Powered Fertilizer Recommendation and Plant Disease Detection System for Agriculture," presents an innovative solution that leverages artificial intelligence to diagnose plant diseases and recommend suitable fertilizers in real-time. The system utilizes a comprehensive dataset comprising 39 classes of images of both healthy and diseased plants, including fruits and vegetables. Advanced visualization techniques were applied to the images, followed by data augmentation to improve model generalization. After normalization and label encoding, a DenseNet-based Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) model was developed, achieving an impressive 98% accuracy in detecting plant diseases. The system is deployed using a Flask UI, allowing for real-time detection of plant diseases through image inputs. Upon identifying the disease, the system not only recommends appropriate fertilizers tailored to either fruits or vegetables but also provides precautionary tips and management strategies. This AI-driven tool aims to empower farmers by offering precise, data-driven insights to enhance crop health, reduce losses due to diseases, and promote sustainable farming practices.

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# CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

1. **INTRODUCTION**

## OBJECTIVE OF PROJECT:

The objective of this project is to develop an AI-powered system that accurately detects plant diseases in real-time using image analysis and recommends appropriate fertilizers for both fruits and vegetables. By leveraging a DenseNet-based CNN model with 98% accuracy, the system aims to help farmers manage crop health more effectively, providing disease identification, fertilizer recommendations, and practical tips to promote sustainable agricultural practices and increase productivity.

## PROBLEM STATEMENT:

The problem addressed by this project is the difficulty farmers face in accurately diagnosing plant diseases and determining the appropriate fertilizers, which often leads to crop loss and reduced productivity. Current methods are time-consuming, require expert knowledge, and can be prone to errors. This project aims to solve this issue by developing an AI-based solution that enables real-time detection of plant diseases through image analysis and provides tailored fertilizer recommendations, helping farmers make informed decisions quickly and efficiently.

## MOTIVATION:

* + - **Crop Losses**: Farmers frequently suffer significant losses due to undiagnosed or poorly managed plant diseases, affecting overall agricultural productivity.
    - **Lack of Expertise**: Many farmers lack immediate access to expert knowledge or resources for diagnosing plant diseases and recommending suitable treatments.
    - **Time-Consuming Processes:** Traditional methods of identifying plant diseases and selecting the right fertilizers are time-intensive and inefficient. Increasing
    - **Demand for Sustainable Farming**: With the growing focus on sustainable agriculture, there is a need for efficient, data-driven solutions that can optimize crop health management.
    - **Advancements in AI Technology**: The availability of advanced AI tools provides an opportunity to transform agricultural practices by automating disease detection and fertilizer recommendations.

## SCOPE:

The scope of this project encompasses the development of an AI-based system focused on the detection of plant diseases and fertilizer recommendations for both fruits and vegetables. It involves collecting and analyzing image data of plant health, including various diseases across 39 classes, and applying advanced machine learning techniques to classify them. The work also includes data preprocessing steps such as augmentation, normalization, and encoding, followed by model training using a DenseNet architecture. Additionally, the project explores integrating a real-time user interface for farmers, enabling easy access to disease detection insights and agricultural recommendations. The system is designed to support various crops and be scalable for broader agricultural applications.

## PROJECT INTRODUCTION:

Agriculture plays a pivotal role in sustaining global economies, with over 1 billion people worldwide relying on it for their livelihoods. However, one of the most pressing challenges faced by farmers today is the management of plant diseases, which contribute to a 20-40% annual crop loss globally, according to the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO). Early detection and timely intervention are crucial to mitigate these losses, but traditional disease identification methods are labor-intensive, require expert knowledge, and are often inefficient. In developing countries, access to agricultural experts and resources is limited, leaving farmers vulnerable to crop failure. Meanwhile, advances in artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning have opened up new possibilities for revolutionizing agriculture by automating the process of disease detection and management.

With the proliferation of AI-powered tools, image-based analysis has emerged as a promising solution, where machine learning models can accurately classify plant diseases from images of affected crops. This project aims to address this need by creating an AI-driven system that leverages a dataset of plant images spanning 39 different classes of healthy and diseased plants—to accurately diagnose diseases in real-time. According to recent studies, AI-based disease detection models can achieve accuracy rates exceeding 95%, providing farmers with a powerful tool for improving crop health and sustainability.

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# CHAPTER 2 LITERATURE SURVEY

1. **LITERATURE SURVEY**

## RELATED WORK:

### " Plant Disease Detection Using Deep Learning and Convolutional Neural Networks" by Mohanty et al.

This paper investigates the application of deep learning techniques, particularly Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs), for the classification of plant diseases using leaf images. The authors employed a dataset of over 50,000 images of diseased and healthy plant leaves, training various CNN architectures to identify 38 different types of plant diseases.

### Summary:

The study by Mohanty et al. reveals that deep learning models, particularly CNNs, can achieve an accuracy of over 99% in detecting plant diseases. This work highlights the significant potential of AI-based image analysis in agriculture, demonstrating how machine learning models can offer faster and more accurate disease diagnosis compared to traditional methods.

### " Automated Plant Disease Diagnosis Using Mobile-Based Convolutional Neural Networks" by Ferentinos et al.

Ferentinos and colleagues explored the use of mobile-based CNN models for plant disease diagnosis. The paper outlines the integration of deep learning models into mobile applications to detect diseases from images taken in real-time by farmers, focusing on making technology more accessible for small-scale farmers.

### Summary:

This study shows that mobile-based CNN applications can provide practical and efficient disease detection solutions with an accuracy rate of around 98%. The work emphasizes the importance of accessibility and ease of use in AI-driven agricultural tools, particularly in resource-constrained environments.

### " Data Augmentation for Deep Learning in Agricultural Image Classification" by Shorten et al.

Shorten et al. discuss the importance of data augmentation techniques in improving the performance of deep learning models for agricultural image classification. The paper specifically focuses on how augmentation techniques such as rotation, flipping, and scaling can be applied to limited datasets in agriculture to enhance model generalization and accuracy.

### Summary:

The findings highlight that data augmentation is crucial in addressing the challenge of limited agricultural datasets, leading to a 10-15% improvement in classification accuracy. This work underlines the necessity of augmentation in agricultural image classification tasks, where obtaining large datasets can be difficult.

### " DenseNet for Image-Based Plant Disease Identification" by Li et al.

Li and colleagues evaluated the use of DenseNet architectures for the identification of plant diseases using a diverse image dataset. The paper focuses on the dense connectivity within the model, which helps mitigate the vanishing gradient problem and allows for more efficient learning with fewer parameters.

### Summary:

The study demonstrates that DenseNet outperforms other CNN architectures in terms of accuracy and computational efficiency, achieving an accuracy rate of 98.7%. Li et al. also highlights the potential of DenseNet models in real-time agricultural applications, given their ability to detect diseases faster while maintaining high accuracy.

# CHAPTER 3 SYSTEM ANALYSIS

1. **SYSTEM ANALYSIS**

## EXISTING METHOD

Existing methods for plant disease detection primarily rely on traditional approaches, such as manual inspection by agricultural experts, which can be time-consuming, labor-intensive, and prone to human error. Some technological advancements have been made, including mobile applications and machine learning models like basic Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) and other deep learning architectures, which use image-based analysis for disease detection. While these methods have shown improved accuracy, they often lack scalability, are limited by small datasets, and do not typically integrate real-time decision support features such as fertilizer recommendations or preventive measures.

## DISADVANTAGES:

* + - **Limited Dataset Availability**: Existing methods often struggle with small or imbalanced datasets, reducing the model’s ability to generalize effectively across diverse plant species and diseases.
    - **High Dependence on Experts**: Manual inspections or traditional methods still require expert intervention, which can be costly and time-consuming for farmers, especially in rural areas.
    - **Lack of Real-Time Application**: Many existing systems are not designed for real-time detection, limiting their practical use in fast-paced agricultural environments where immediate diagnosis is needed.
    - **Low Scalability**: Current machine learning models often face challenges in scalability, making it difficult to apply them across different crops, regions, or varying environmental conditions.
    - **No Integrated Recommendations**: Most methods focus solely on disease detection, without providing actionable solutions such as fertilizer recommendations or management tips, leaving farmers without comprehensive support.

## PROPOSED METHOD:

The proposed method involves the development of an AI-driven system that utilizes a DenseNet-based Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) to accurately detect plant diseases in real-time from images of both healthy and diseased fruits and vegetables. This system integrates advanced data preprocessing techniques, including data augmentation and normalization, to enhance model robustness and generalization. Upon detecting a disease, the system not only identifies the type of plant disease but also recommends appropriate fertilizers tailored to the specific crop, while providing preventive tips and management strategies. By incorporating a user-friendly Flask interface, the system aims to empower farmers with immediate insights and actionable recommendations, facilitating better decision-making and improving overall crop health management.

## ADVANTAGES:

* + - **High Accuracy and Efficiency**: The use of a DenseNet-based CNN model significantly improves detection accuracy, achieving up to 98% precision in identifying plant diseases, which enables quicker and more reliable diagnosis compared to traditional methods.
    - **Real-Time Insights and Recommendations**: The system provides immediate feedback by not only diagnosing plant diseases but also recommending appropriate fertilizers and management strategies, empowering farmers to make informed decisions that enhance crop health and yield.
    - **User-Friendly Interface**: The integration of a Flask-based user interface makes the system accessible and easy to use for farmers, regardless of their technical expertise, facilitating seamless interaction with the technology and promoting wider adoption in agricultural practices.

## PROJECT FLOW

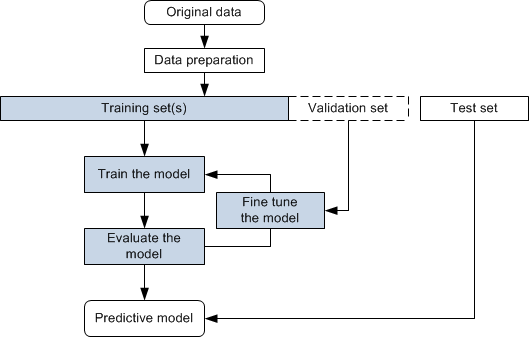
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Fig 3.5.1 Project Flow

# CHAPTER 4 REQUIREMENTS ANALYSIS

1. **REQUIREMENTS ANALYSIS**

## FUNCTIONAL & NON-FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Requirement’s analysis is very critical process that enables the success of a system or software project to be assessed. Requirements are generally split into two types:

* + - Functional
    - Non-Functional Requirements

**Functional Requirements:** These are the requirements that end user specifically demands as basic facilities that a system should offer. All these functionalities need to be necessarily incorporated into the system as a part of the contract. These are represented or stated in the form of input to be given to the system, the operation performed and the output expected. They are basically the requirements stated by the user which one can see directly in the final product, unlike the non-functional requirements.

1. **Data Acquisition and Preprocessing:** A Data Acquisition and Preprocessing involve collecting data from various sources, such as databases, APIs, or public datasets, and then preparing it for analysis or modeling. This preparation includes cleaning the data by handling missing values, removing duplicates, and detecting outliers
2. **Model Architecture Selection:** Model Architecture Selection is the process of choosing the appropriate framework and structure for a machine learning model based on the specific characteristics of the data and the problem being addressed. This involves considering various architectures, such as linear models, decision trees, or deep learning frameworks.
3. **Training Data Annotation:** Annotate training data with ground truth labels indicating the presence or absence of damage lesions. Ensure accuracy and consistency in annotation to facilicate model training.
4. **Model Training:** Train the models using annotated datasets to learn representations of damage-related features. Optimize hyper-parameters and model architectures to improve performance metrics such as accuracy, sensitivity and specificity.

**Non-Functional Requirements:** These are basically the quality constraints that the system must satisfy according to the project contract. The priority or extent to which these

factors are implemented varies from one project to other.

1. **Scalability:** Horizontal scalability design ensures the system to scale horizontally across multiple nodes or servers to handle increased workload and data volume. Vertical scalability ensures that the system can scale vertically by upgrading hardware resources to meet growing
2. **Reliability:** The system should be 90% reliable. Since it may need some maintenance or preparation for some particular day, the system does not need to be reliable every time. So, 80% reliability is enough.
3. **Availability:** It is available to all Insurance companies.
4. **Cost Efficiency:** Design the system to minimize costs associated with hardware, software, maintenance, training and return on investment is to evaluate the system’s ROI by considering its effectiveness, cost savings and other benefits compared to traditional damage detection methods.

## SOFTWARE REQUIREMENS

Operating System : Windows 7/8/10

Server side Script : HTML, CSS & JS

Programming Language : Python

Libraries : Flask, Pandas, Tensorflow, Keras, Sklearn, Numpy

IDE/Workbench : VSCode

Technology : Python 3.11.4

## HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

Processor - I3/Intel Processor

RAM - 8GB (min)

Hard Disk - 128 GB

Key Board - Standard Windows Keyboard

Mouse - Two or Three Button Mouse

Monitor - Any

## ARCHITECTURE:

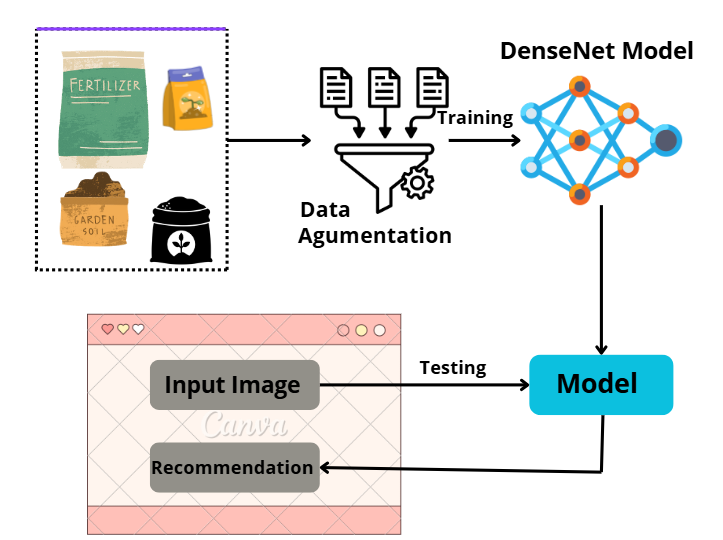


Fig 4.4.1 Project Architecture

# CHAPTER 5 METHODOLOGY

1. **METHODOLOGY**

## Convolutional Neural Networks

Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) are a specialized class of deep learning models designed for processing structured grid data, particularly images. Inspired by the human visual system, CNNs excel at recognizing patterns, textures, and features within images through a hierarchical structure. A typical CNN consists of multiple layers, including convolutional layers, pooling layers, and fully connected layers, which work together to learn representations of the input data. The convolutional layers apply filters (kernels) that scan over the input image, detecting specific features like edges, corners, and textures. These features are progressively combined in deeper layers, enabling the network to learn increasingly complex patterns and representations.

The fundamental building blocks of CNNs include convolutional layers, activation functions, pooling layers, and fully connected layers. Convolutional layers apply convolution operations on input images, utilizing multiple filters to extract features. Each filter is trained to recognize specific patterns, resulting in feature maps that represent the presence of those patterns in the input. Activation functions, such as Rectified Linear Unit (ReLU), introduce non-linearity into the model, allowing it to learn complex functions. Pooling layers downsample the feature maps, reducing their spatial dimensions while retaining essential information, which helps to minimize computation and combat overfitting. Finally, fully connected layers combine the extracted features to produce the output, such as classifying the input image into specific categories.

CNNs offer several advantages over traditional machine learning methods and other neural network architectures when it comes to image classification and recognition tasks. Firstly, they require significantly less preprocessing compared to classical methods that rely on hand-crafted features. CNNs automatically learn relevant features from the data during training, making them highly effective for a wide range of applications, including plant disease detection. Additionally, the hierarchical structure of CNNs allows them to capture both local and global patterns within images, which is essential for recognizing complex visual information. Moreover, CNNs demonstrate impressive scalability, capable of handling large datasets and maintaining performance as the volume of data increases.

In the context of plant disease detection, CNNs have shown remarkable promise. They can be trained on extensive datasets containing images of healthy and diseased plants, enabling the model to learn the distinguishing features associated with various plant diseases. The convolutional layers extract relevant features such as leaf texture, color variations, and shape abnormalities, while the pooling layers ensure that the model remains robust to small translations and distortions in the images. With advancements in architecture, such as DenseNet and ResNet, CNNs can achieve high accuracy rates in identifying diseases, which is crucial for timely intervention in agriculture. This capability allows farmers to address issues before they escalate, significantly improving crop health and yield.

Recent innovations in CNN architectures have further enhanced their performance and applicability. For instance, DenseNet introduces dense connections between layers, facilitating better feature propagation and reducing the risk of vanishing gradients. This architecture allows the model to utilize lower-level features more effectively, improving the efficiency of feature extraction. Additionally, techniques like transfer learning enable the use of pre-trained models on large datasets, allowing for rapid adaptation to specific tasks, such as plant disease classification. Data augmentation methods, which artificially increase the size of the training dataset by applying transformations to existing images, also contribute to improved model generalization. These advancements collectively enhance the accuracy and reliability of CNNs in various applications, including agriculture.

As the field of deep learning continues to evolve, the future prospects for CNNs in plant disease detection and broader agricultural applications are promising. Ongoing research is focused on improving model interpretability, allowing users to understand how CNNs arrive at specific decisions, which is critical for building trust among farmers and agricultural stakeholders. Furthermore, the integration of CNNs with other technologies, such as Internet of Things (IoT) sensors and drones, could facilitate real-time monitoring of crop health, enabling proactive management strategies. As datasets become more diverse and abundant, exploring unsupervised and semi-supervised learning methods could also enhance model performance in scenarios where labeled data is scarce. Ultimately, the continuous advancement of CNNs has the potential to transform agricultural practices, promoting sustainable and efficient farming methods globally.

## DenseNet Model

DenseNet, or Densely Connected Convolutional Networks, is a deep learning architecture designed to improve the efficiency and performance of convolutional neural networks (CNNs). Proposed by Gao Huang et al. in 2017, DenseNet introduces a novel connectivity pattern that connects each layer to every subsequent layer in a feed-forward fashion. This means that, instead of receiving inputs solely from the previous layer, each layer receives inputs from all preceding layers. As a result, the architecture fosters the direct propagation of features and gradients, making it easier for the network to learn complex patterns while mitigating issues like the vanishing gradient problem. DenseNet has gained popularity for its ability to achieve high accuracy with fewer parameters compared to traditional CNN architectures.

DenseNet comprises several essential components that contribute to its performance. Each layer in a DenseNet consists of multiple convolutional operations, followed by batch normalization and activation functions, usually the Rectified Linear Unit (ReLU). The architecture employs a specific structure known as a "dense block," where multiple convolutional layers are stacked together. Each layer in the dense block receives input from all previous layers, concatenating their outputs. This concatenation process ensures that each layer has direct access to the feature maps from all preceding layers, allowing the model to leverage low-level features alongside high-level abstractions effectively.

The DenseNet architecture offers several advantages over traditional CNN models. Firstly, the dense connectivity promotes feature reuse, which significantly reduces the number of parameters required for model training. As a result, DenseNet can achieve comparable or superior performance with fewer parameters, leading to faster training times and lower memory consumption. Secondly, the direct connections between layers facilitate better gradient flow during backpropagation, making it easier to train very deep networks without suffering from vanishing or exploding gradients. This characteristic allows DenseNet to maintain a deeper architecture, which is advantageous for capturing intricate patterns in data. Moreover, the model’s architecture promotes improved feature extraction, as it can combine various levels of feature abstraction, ultimately enhancing overall classification performance.

DenseNet has proven particularly effective in image classification tasks, achieving state-of-the-art performance across various benchmark datasets, including CIFAR-10, CIFAR-100, and ImageNet. In the context of plant disease detection, DenseNet can be trained on datasets comprising images of healthy and diseased plants, learning to distinguish between subtle variations in features. The architecture's ability to combine features from multiple layers allows it to capture complex patterns associated with different diseases effectively. By leveraging DenseNet's strengths, researchers and practitioners can develop robust models that enable timely diagnosis of plant health issues, which is crucial for modern agriculture.

As the research community has explored DenseNet's potential, various innovations and modifications have emerged. For instance, researchers have developed DenseNet variants, such as DenseNet-BC, which employs bottleneck layers to reduce the computational cost while maintaining the architecture's advantages. Additionally, DenseNet can be combined with other techniques like transfer learning, allowing models pre-trained on large datasets to adapt quickly to specific tasks, such as plant disease classification. These innovations have expanded the applicability of DenseNet across various domains, including medical imaging, autonomous driving, and more, showcasing its versatility and effectiveness in solving real-world problems.

Despite its numerous advantages, DenseNet is not without challenges. As the architecture becomes deeper, the computational cost and memory requirements can still pose issues, particularly in resource-constrained environments. Future research may focus on optimizing DenseNet architectures for edge devices, enabling real-time applications in fields such as agriculture and healthcare. Additionally, enhancing the interpretability of DenseNet models is crucial for building trust among users, especially in sensitive applications like medical diagnosis or agricultural management. By addressing these challenges and exploring new avenues for improvement, DenseNet has the potential to remain at the forefront of deep learning research and applications, driving advancements across multiple industries.

# CHAPTER 6 SYSTEM DESIGN

1. **SYSTEM DESIGN**

## INTRODUCTION OF INPUT DESIGN:

The Input Design component focuses on the methods and processes for preparing and structuring input data for the multi perspective Fertilizer Predictions. This includes preprocessing, extracting relevant features, and formatting the input for effective processing by Machine Learning Algorithms.

## Objectives for Input Design:

* Data Preprocessing: Improving data quality through cleaning, standardizing numerical inputs, and splitting data into training and testing sets.
* Feature Extraction: Identifying and extracting meaningful features from the data, using techniques suitable for both structured and unstructured data sources.
* Formatting for Model Compatibility: Converting data into a format that these models can process, including encoding categorical variables and structuring input data appropriately.

## Output Design:

Output Design refers to the process of defining and structuring the results generated by a model or system to ensure they are clear, relevant, and actionable for end-users. This involves determining the format, content, and presentation of the output, which may include visualizations, reports, dashboards, or user interfaces that effectively convey the insights derived from the data. A well-designed output enhances user experience, facilitates decision-making, and ensures that the results align with the intended goals of the project or application. Additionally, incorporating contextual relevance, feedback mechanisms, and performance metrics allows users to understand and apply the outputs effectively. Overall, well-designed outputs empower users to make informed decisions based on the insights generated, bridging the gap between complex analysis and practical application.

## UML DIAGRAMS:

### USE CASE DIAGRAM:

A use case diagram in the Unified Modeling Language (UML) is a type of behavioral diagram defined by and created from a Use-case analysis. Its purpose is to present a graphical overview of the functionality provided by a system in terms of actors, their goals (represented as use cases), and any dependencies between those use cases. The main purpose of a use case diagram is to show what system functions are performed for which actor. Roles of the actors in the system can be depicted.

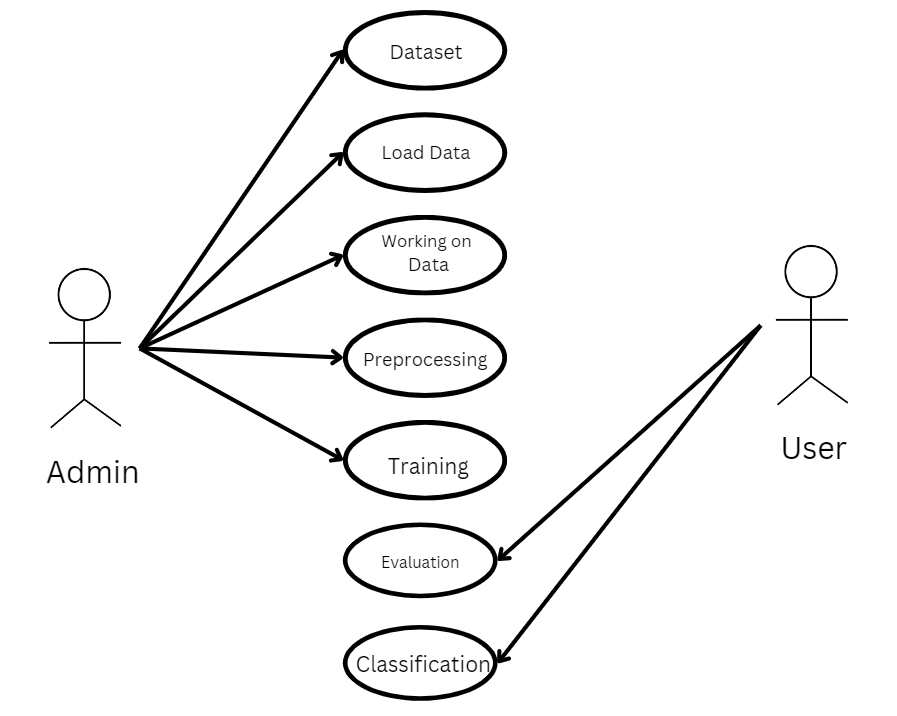


Fig 6.2.1 Use case diagram

### CLASS DIAGRAM:

In software engineering, a class diagram in the Unified Modeling Language (UML) is a type of static structure diagram that describes the structure of a system by showing the system's classes, their attributes, operations (or methods), and the relationships among the classes. It explains which class contains information.

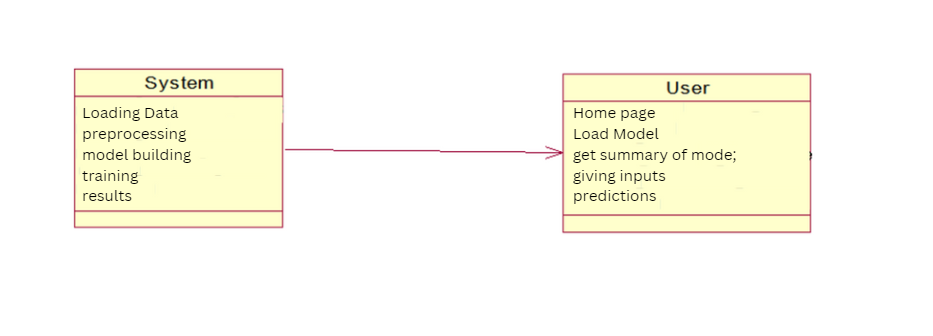


Fig 6.2.2 Class diagram

### SEQUENCE DIAGRAM:

A sequence diagram in Unified Modeling Language (UML) is a kind of interaction diagram that shows how processes operate with one another and in what order. It is a construct of a Message Sequence Chart.

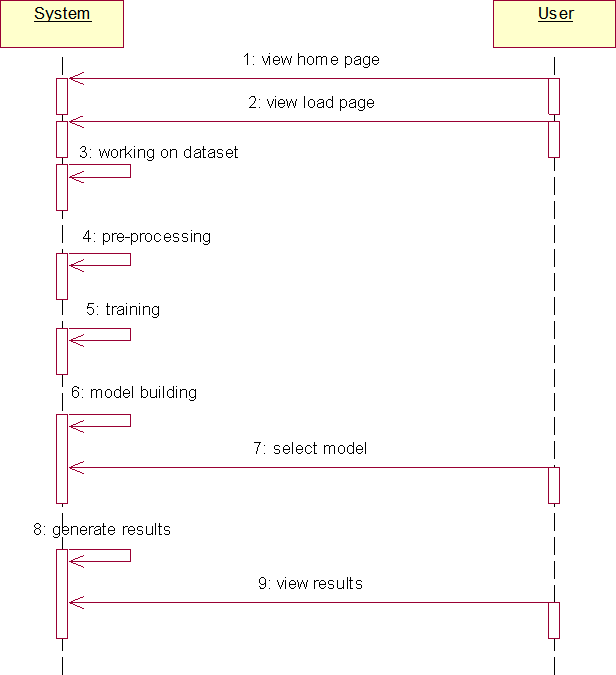


Fig 6.2.3 Sequence diagram

### COLLABRATION DIAGRAM:

In collaboration diagram the method call sequence is indicated by some numbering technique as shown below. The number indicates how the methods are called one after another. We have taken the same order management system to describe the collaboration diagram. The method calls are similar to that of a sequence diagram. But the difference is that the sequence diagram does not describe the object organization whereas the collaboration diagram shows the object organization.

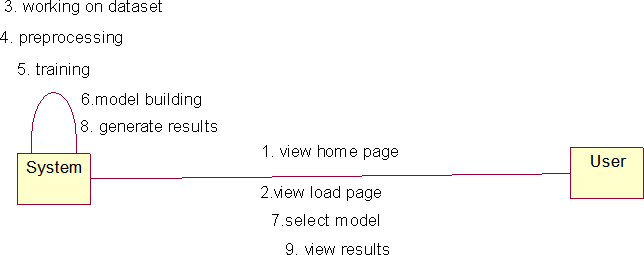


Fig 6.2.4 Collaboration diagram

### DEPLOYMENT DIAGRAM

Deployment diagram represents the deployment view of a system. It is related to the component diagram. Because the components are deployed using the deployment diagrams. A deployment diagram consists of nodes. Nodes are nothing but physical hardware’s used to deploy the application.



Fig 6.2.5 Deployment diagram

### ACTIVITY DIAGRAM:

Activity diagrams are graphical representations of workflows of stepwise activities and actions with support for choice, iteration and concurrency. In the Unified Modeling Language, activity diagrams can be used to describe the business and operational step-by-step workflows of components in a system. An activity diagram shows the overall flow of control.

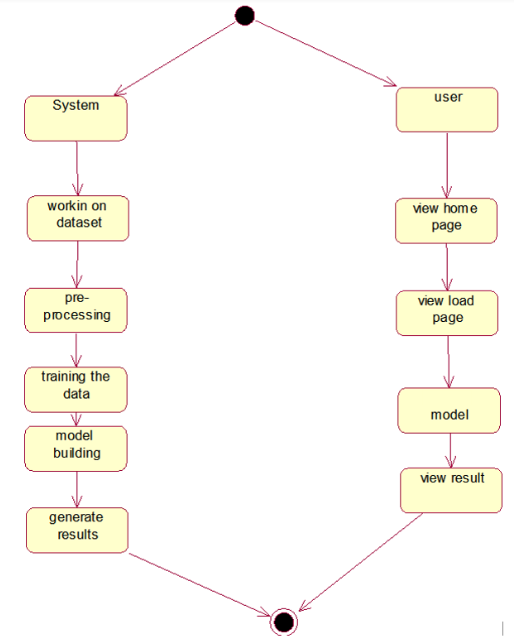


Fig 6.2.6 Activity diagram

### COMPONENT DIAGRAM:

A component diagram, also known as a UML component diagram, describes the organization and wiring of the physical **c**omponents in a system. Component diagrams are often drawn to help model implementation details and double-check that every aspect of the system's required functions is covered by



Fig 6.2.7 Component diagram

### ER DIAGRAM

An Entity–relationship model (ER model) describes the structure of a database with the help of a diagram, which is known as Entity Relationship Diagram (ER Diagram).

An ER diagram shows the relationship among entity sets. An entity set is a group of similar entities and these entities can have attributes.

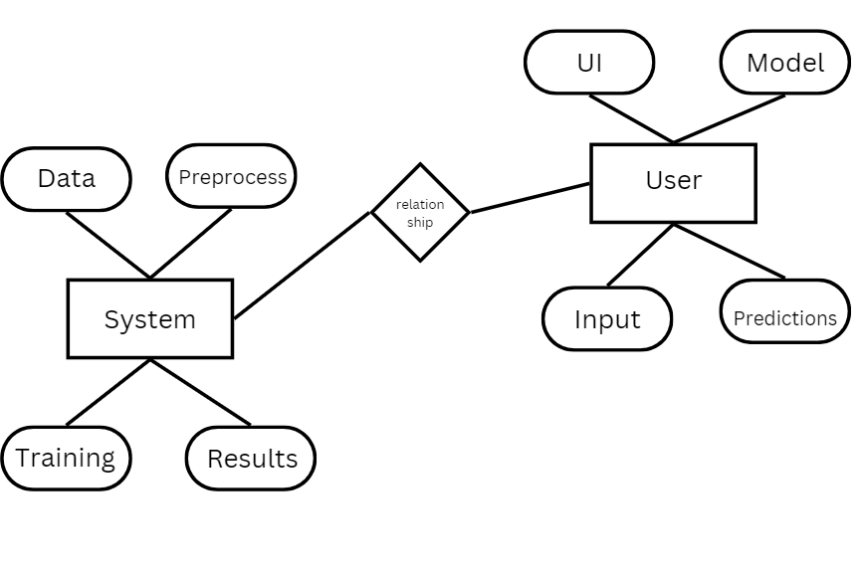


Fig 6.2.8 ER diagram

## DFD DIAGRAM

A Data Flow Diagram (DFD) is a traditional way to visualize the information flows within a system. A neat and clear DFD can depict a good amount of the system requirements graphically. It can be manual, automated, or a combination of both. It shows how information enters and leaves the system, what changes the information and where information is stored. The purpose of a DFD is to show the scope and boundaries of a system as a whole. It may be used as a communications tool between a systems analyst and any person who plays a part in the system that acts as the starting point for redesigning a system.

# Context Diagram:

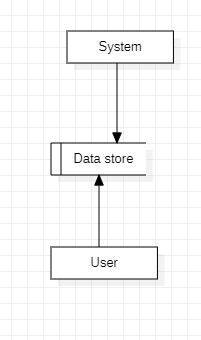


Fig 6.3.1 Context diagram

# CHAPTER 7 IMPLEMENTATION AND RESULTS

1. **IMPLEMENTATION AND RESULTS**

## MODULES

1. **System:**

### Preprocessing:

Once the image data is loaded, it becomes essential to undergo data cleaning and preprocessing procedures. This involves tasks like handling potential image artifacts, addressing missing or corrupted images, encoding categorical labels if applicable, and normalizing pixel values. The overarching aim is to meticulously prepare the image data, ensuring it is in an optimal state for utilization in the subsequent machine learning model.

### Data Splitting:

Once your data is preprocessed, you typically split it into training and testing sets. The training set is used to train the model, and the testing set is used to evaluate its performance. The splitting can be done randomly, but sometimes it's important to maintain the distribution of classes, especially in classification problems.

### Model Training:

With the data split, you can now train your machine learning model. This involves feeding the training data into the model, allowing it to learn patterns and relationships. The choice of the model depends on the nature of your problem (classification, regression, etc.) and the characteristics of your data. Training may involve tuning hyperparameters to optimize the model's performance.

### Generating Results:

Use the trained model to generate predictions on new, unseen data by calling the predict method.

## User:

### Data Loading:

In this step, you bring your raw data into your program. This could involve reading data from various csv files.

### Choosing Algorithms:

* + 1. Algorithm choice depends on the problem and data.
    2. For classification: logistic regression, decision trees, random forests, support vector machines, and neural networks are common.
    3. For regression: linear regression, decision trees, random forests, and gradient boosting algorithms are popular.
    4. Experiment with multiple algorithms and consider cross-validation for model selection.

### Viewing Results:

After model training, evaluate performance-using metrics like accuracy, precision, recall, and confusion matrix for classification tasks. Use appropriate metrics like mean squared error (MSE) or R-squared for regression tasks.

## CODING

**Source code:**

import os

from flask import Flask, redirect, render\_template, request

from PIL import Image

import torchvision.transforms.functional as TF

import CNN

import numpy as np

import torch

import pandas as pd

disease\_info = pd.read\_csv('disease\_info.csv' , encoding='cp1252')

supplement\_info = pd.read\_csv('supplement\_info.csv',encoding='cp1252')

model = CNN.CNN(39)

model.load\_state\_dict(torch.load("plant\_disease\_model\_1\_latest.pt"))

model.eval()

def prediction(image\_path):

    image = Image.open(image\_path)

    image = image.resize((224, 224))

    input\_data = TF.to\_tensor(image)

    input\_data = input\_data.view((-1, 3, 224, 224))

    output = model(input\_data)

    output = output.detach().numpy()

    index = np.argmax(output)

    return index

app = Flask(\_\_name\_\_)

@app.route('/')

def home\_page():

    return render\_template('home.html')

@app.route('/index')

def ai\_engine\_page():

    return render\_template('index.html')

@app.route('/mobile-device')

def mobile\_device\_detected\_page():

    return render\_template('mobile-device.html')

@app.route('/submit', methods=['GET', 'POST'])

def submit():

    if request.method == 'POST':

        image = request.files['image']

        filename = image.filename

        file\_path = os.path.join('static/uploads', filename)

        image.save(file\_path)

        print(file\_path)

        pred = prediction(file\_path)

        title = disease\_info['disease\_name'][pred]

        description =disease\_info['description'][pred]

        prevent = disease\_info['Possible Steps'][pred]

        image\_url = disease\_info['image\_url'][pred]

        supplement\_name = supplement\_info['supplement name'][pred]

        supplement\_image\_url = supplement\_info['supplement image'][pred]

        supplement\_buy\_link = supplement\_info['buy link'][pred]

        return render\_template('submit.html' , title = title , desc = description , prevent = prevent ,

                               image\_url = image\_url , pred = pred ,sname = supplement\_name , simage = supplement\_image\_url , buy\_link = supplement\_buy\_link)

@app.route('/market', methods=['GET', 'POST'])

def market():

    return render\_template('market.html', supplement\_image = list(supplement\_info['supplement image']),

                           supplement\_name = list(supplement\_info['supplement name']), disease = list(disease\_info['disease\_name']), buy = list(supplement\_info['buy link']))

if \_\_name\_\_ == '\_\_main\_\_':

    app.run(debug=True)

import pandas as pd

import torch.nn as nn

class CNN(nn.Module):

    def \_\_init\_\_(self, K):

        super(CNN, self).\_\_init\_\_()

        self.conv\_layers = nn.Sequential(

            # conv1

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=3, out\_channels=32,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(32),

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=32, out\_channels=32,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(32),

            nn.MaxPool2d(2),

            # conv2

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=32, out\_channels=64,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(64),

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=64, out\_channels=64,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(64),

            nn.MaxPool2d(2),

            # conv3

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=64, out\_channels=128,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(128),

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=128, out\_channels=128,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(128),

            nn.MaxPool2d(2),

            # conv4

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=128, out\_channels=256,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(256),

            nn.Conv2d(in\_channels=256, out\_channels=256,

                      kernel\_size=3, padding=1),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.BatchNorm2d(256),

            nn.MaxPool2d(2),

        )

        self.dense\_layers = nn.Sequential(

            nn.Dropout(0.4),

            nn.Linear(50176, 1024),

            nn.ReLU(),

            nn.Dropout(0.4),

            nn.Linear(1024, K),

        )

    def forward(self, X):

        out = self.conv\_layers(X)

        # Flatten

        out = out.view(-1, 50176)

        # Fully connected

        out = self.dense\_layers(out)

        return out

idx\_to\_classes = {0: 'Apple\_\_\_Apple\_scab',

                  1: 'Apple\_\_\_Black\_rot',

                  2: 'Apple\_\_\_Cedar\_apple\_rust',

                  3: 'Apple\_\_\_healthy',

                  4: 'Background\_without\_leaves',

                  5: 'Blueberry\_\_\_healthy',

                  6: 'Cherry\_\_\_Powdery\_mildew',

                  7: 'Cherry\_\_\_healthy',

                  8: 'Corn\_\_\_Cercospora\_leaf\_spot Gray\_leaf\_spot',

                  9: 'Corn\_\_\_Common\_rust',

                  10: 'Corn\_\_\_Northern\_Leaf\_Blight',

                  11: 'Corn\_\_\_healthy',

                  12: 'Grape\_\_\_Black\_rot',

                  13: 'Grape\_\_\_Esca\_(Black\_Measles)',

                  14: 'Grape\_\_\_Leaf\_blight\_(Isariopsis\_Leaf\_Spot)',

                  15: 'Grape\_\_\_healthy',

                  16: 'Orange\_\_\_Haunglongbing\_(Citrus\_greening)',

                  17: 'Peach\_\_\_Bacterial\_spot',

                  18: 'Peach\_\_\_healthy',

                  19: 'Pepper,\_bell\_\_\_Bacterial\_spot',

                  20: 'Pepper,\_bell\_\_\_healthy',

                  21: 'Potato\_\_\_Early\_blight',

                  22: 'Potato\_\_\_Late\_blight',

                  23: 'Potato\_\_\_healthy',

                  24: 'Raspberry\_\_\_healthy',

                  25: 'Soybean\_\_\_healthy',

                  26: 'Squash\_\_\_Powdery\_mildew',

                  27: 'Strawberry\_\_\_Leaf\_scorch',

                  28: 'Strawberry\_\_\_healthy',

                  29: 'Tomato\_\_\_Bacterial\_spot',

                  30: 'Tomato\_\_\_Early\_blight',

                  31: 'Tomato\_\_\_Late\_blight',

                  32: 'Tomato\_\_\_Leaf\_Mold',

                  33: 'Tomato\_\_\_Septoria\_leaf\_spot',

                  34: 'Tomato\_\_\_Spider\_mites Two-spotted\_spider\_mite',

                  35: 'Tomato\_\_\_Target\_Spot',

                  36: 'Tomato\_\_\_Tomato\_Yellow\_Leaf\_Curl\_Virus',

                  37: 'Tomato\_\_\_Tomato\_mosaic\_virus',

                  38: 'Tomato\_\_\_healthy'}

{% extends 'base.html' %}

{% block pagetitle %}

{{title}}

{% endblock pagetitle %}

{% block body %}

<style>

  body{

    overflow-x: hidden;

    background-image: url('https://img.freepik.com/free-vector/flat-design-autumn-background\_23-2148624359.jpg?semt=ais\_hybrid');

    background-attachment: fixed;

    background-size: cover;

    background-repeat: no-repeat;

  }

</style>

<div>

  <div class="container">

    <!-- For demo purpose -->

    <div class="row mb-5 text-center text-white">

      <div class="col-lg-10 mx-auto">

        <h1 class="display-4" style="padding-top: 2%;font-weight: 400;color: rgb(4, 54, 4);""><b>{{title}}🍂</b></h1>

      </div>

    </div>

    <center>

    <div class=" col">

          <div class="p-3 bg-white shadow rounded-lg" style="width: 30%;">

            <img src={{image\_url}} width="350" height="350">

          </div>

      </div>

      </center>

      <br>

      <div class=" row ">

        <div class="col mx-auto">

          <div class="p-5 bg-white shadow rounded-lg" style="height: 95%;">

from sklearn.metrics import confusion\_matrix, classification\_report

import numpy as np

import seaborn as sns

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Generate predictions on the test set

predictions\_test = model.predict(test\_generator)

# Convert predicted probabilities to class labels

predicted\_labels\_test = np.argmax(predictions\_test, axis=1)

# Get true labels

true\_labels\_test = test\_generator.labels

# Compute confusion matrix for the test set

cm\_test = confusion\_matrix(true\_labels\_test, predicted\_labels\_test)

## OUTPUT SCREENS:

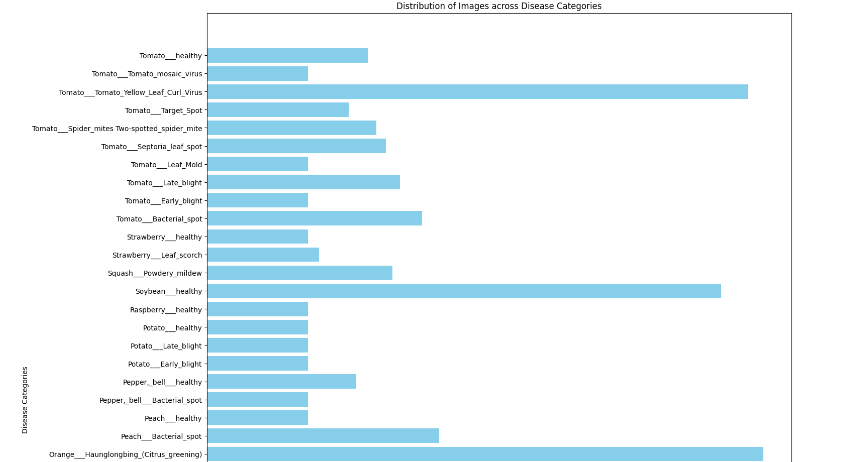
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Fig 7.3.1 Distribution of Various Plant Diseases

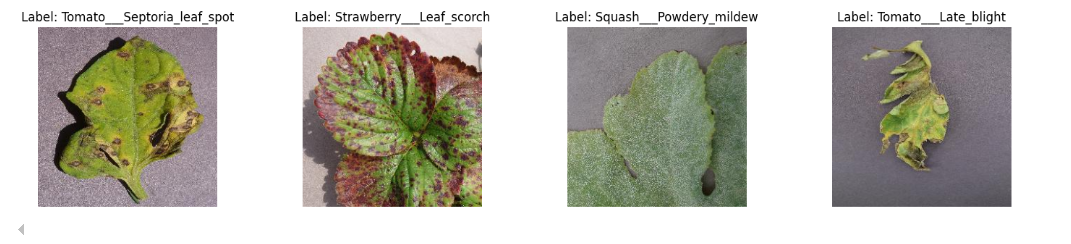


Fig 7.3.2 Plotting of Leaf Images.



Fig 7.3.3 Home page

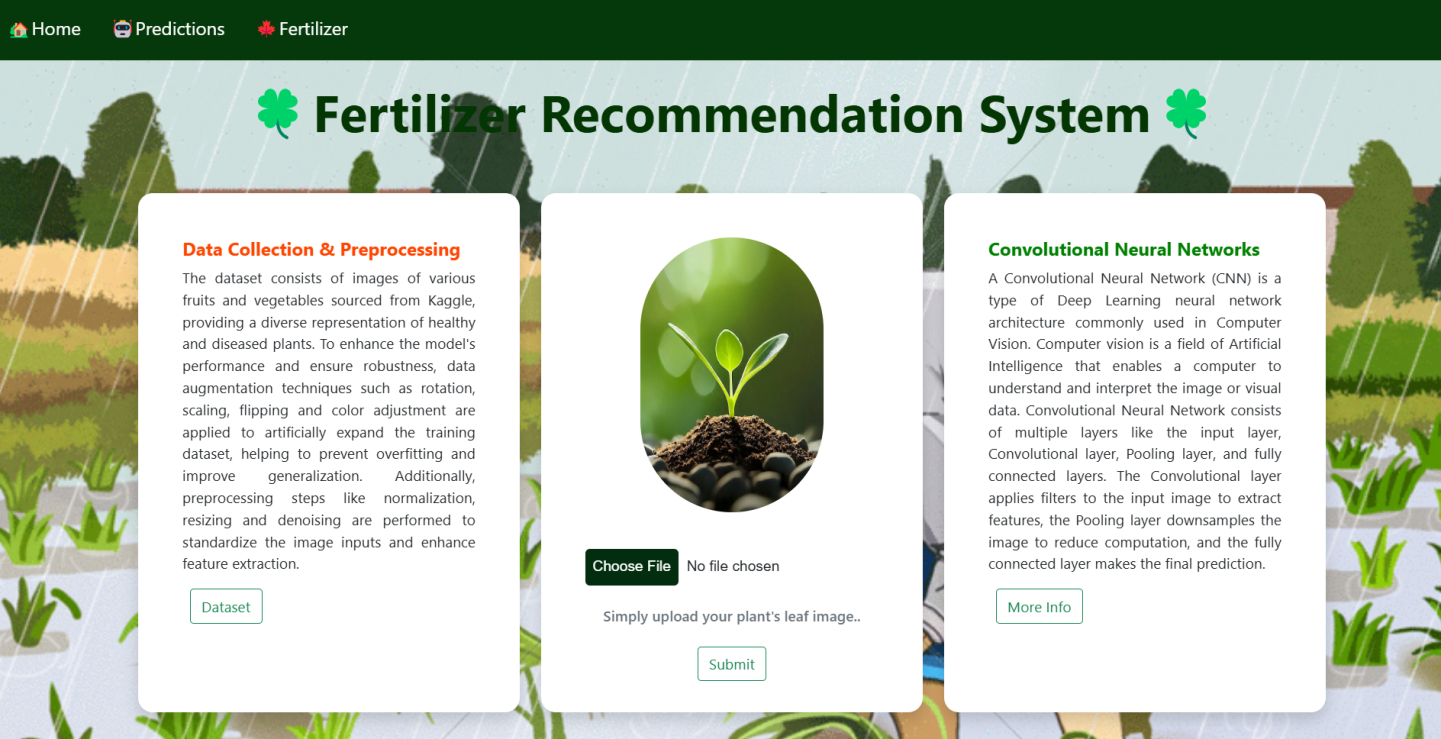
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Fig 7.3.4 Predictions Page

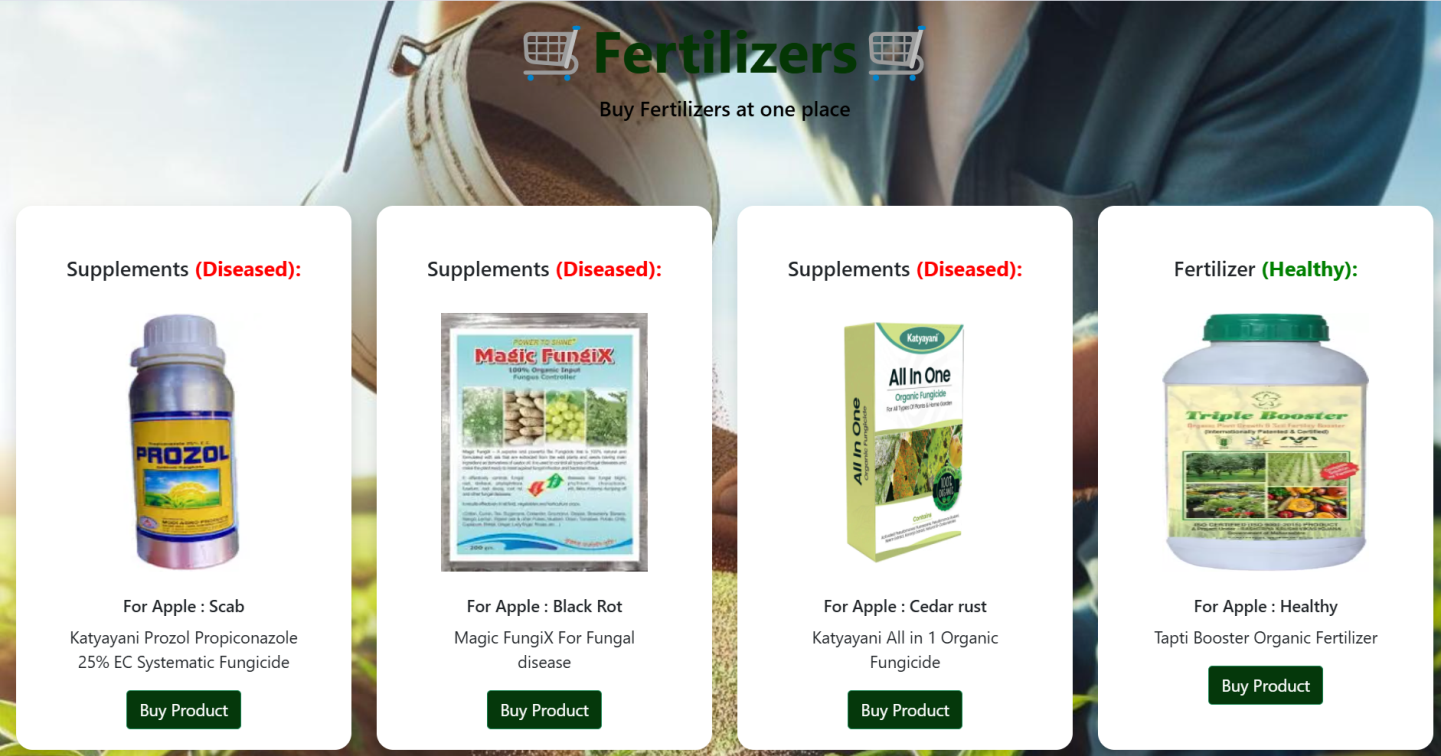
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Fig 7.3.5 Output Predictions

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Fig 7.3.6 Output Predictions

# CHAPTER 8

**SYSTEM STUDY AND TESTING**

# SYSTEM STUDY AND TESTING

## FEASIBILITY STUDY

The feasibility of the project is analyzed in this phase and business proposal is put forth with a very general plan for the project and some cost estimates. During system analysis the feasibility study of the proposed system is to be carried out. This is to ensure that the proposed system is not a burden to the company. For feasibility analysis, some understanding of the major requirements for the system is essential.

Three key considerations involved in the feasibility analysis are

* + - Economical feasibility
    - Technical feasibility
    - Social feasibility

### Economical Feasibility

This study is carried out to check the economic impact that the system will have on the organization. The amount of fund that the company can pour into the research and development of the system is limited. The expenditures must be justified. Thus the developed system as well within the budget and this was achieved because most of the technologies used are freely available. Only the customized products had to be purchased.

### Technical Feasibility

This study is carried out to check the technical feasibility, that is, the technical requirements of the system. Any system developed must not have a high demand on the available technical resources. This will lead to high demands on the available technical resources. This will lead to high demands being placed on the client. The developed system must have a modest requirement, as only minimal or null changes are required for implementing this system.

### Social Feasibility

The aspect of study is to check the level of acceptance of the system by the user. This includes the process of training the user to use the system efficiently. The user must not feel threatened

by the system, instead must accept it as a necessity. The level of acceptance by the users solely depends on the methods that are employed to educate the user about the system and to make him familiar with it. His level of confidence must be raised so that he is also able to make some constructive criticism, which is welcomed, as he is the final user of the system.

### System Testing

The purpose of testing is to discover errors. Testing is the process of trying to discover every conceivable fault or weakness in a work product. It provides a way to check the functionality of components, sub-assemblies, assemblies and/or a finished product It is the process of exercising software with the intent of ensuring that the

Software system meets its requirements and user expectations and does not fail in an unacceptable manner. There are various types of tests. Each test type addresses a specific testing requirement.

## TYPES OF TESTING

### Unit testing

Unit testing involves the design of test cases that validate that the internal program logic is functioning properly, and that program inputs produce valid outputs. All decision branches and internal code flow should be validated. It is the testing of individual software units of the application .it is done after the completion of an individual unit before integration. This is a structural testing, that relies on knowledge of its construction and is invasive. Unit tests perform basic tests at component level and test a specific business process, application, and/or system configuration. Unit tests ensure that each unique path of a business process performs accurately to the documented specifications and contains clearly defined inputs and expected results.

### Integration testing

Integration tests are designed to test integrated software components to determine if they actually run as one program. Testing is event driven and is more concerned with the basic outcome of screens or fields. Integration tests demonstrate that although the components were individually satisfaction, as shown by successfully unit testing, the combination of components

is correct and consistent. Integration testing is specifically aimed at exposing the problems that arise from the combination of components.

Software integration testing is the incremental integration testing of two or more integrated software components on a single platform to produce failures caused by interface defects.

The task of the integration test is to check that components or software applications, e.g. components in a software system or – one step up – software applications at the company level

– interact without error.

Test Results: All the test cases mentioned above passed successfully. No defects encountered.

### Acceptance Testing

User Acceptance Testing is a critical phase of any project and requires significant participation by the end user. It also ensures that the system meets the functional requirements.

Test Results: All the test cases mentioned above passed successfully. No defects encountered.

### Functional testing

Functional tests provide systematic demonstrations that functions tested are available as specified by the business and technical requirements, system documentation, and user manuals.

Functional testing is centered on the following items:

Valid Input : identified classes of valid input must be accepted. Invalid Input : identified classes of invalid input must be rejected. Functions : identified functions must be exercised.

Output : identified classes of application outputs must be exercised. Systems/Procedures: interfacing systems or procedures must be invoked.

Organization and preparation of functional tests is focused on requirements, key functions, or special test cases. In addition, systematic coverage pertaining to identify Business process flows; data fields, predefined processes, and successive processes must be considered for

testing. Before functional testing is complete, additional tests are identified and the effective value of current tests is determined.

### White Box Testing

White Box Testing is a testing in which in which the software tester has knowledge of the inner workings, structure and language of the software, or at least its purpose. It is purpose. It is used to test areas that cannot be reached from a black box level.

### Black Box Testing

Black Box Testing is testing the software without any knowledge of the inner workings, structure or language of the module being tested. Black box tests, as most other kinds of tests, must be written from a definitive source document, such as specification or requirements document, such as specification or requirements document. It is a testing in which the software under test is treated, as a black box. you cannot “see” into it. The test provides inputs and responds to outputs without considering how the software works.

### Test Objectives

* All field entries must work properly.
* Pages must be activated from the identified link.
* The entry screen, messages and responses must not be delayed.

### Features to be tested

* Verify that the entries are of the correct format
* No duplicate entries should be allowed
* All links should take the user to the correct page.

## TEST CASES

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **S.NO** | **Test cases** | **I/O** | **Expected O/T** | **Actual O/T** | **P/F** |
| 1 | View page | Plant Leaf  dataset | Dataset | Showed  Successfully | P |
| 2 | Model  page | Applying  algorithms | Fitting the  model | Applied  Successfully | P |
| 3. | Prediction  page | Entering Inputs-  classify | P>N>N | Showed  Successfully | P |
| 4. | View page | Plant Leaf  Dataset | Rows/columns | Showed  Successfully | P |
| 5 | Model  page | Applying  algorithms | Fitting the  model | Applied  Successfully | P |
| 6 | Prediction  page | Entering input  features | Output Classes | Showed  Successfully | P |

# CHAPTER 9 RESULT

1. **RESULT**

The results of the project demonstrated a significant advancement in the detection of plant diseases using a DenseNet-based Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) model. The model achieved an impressive accuracy rate of 98% when tested on a diverse dataset comprising images of both healthy and diseased fruits and vegetables across 39 classes. This high accuracy indicates that the model effectively learned to distinguish subtle features and patterns indicative of various plant diseases, enabling it to provide reliable diagnoses. Moreover, the integration of data augmentation techniques enhanced the model's robustness by artificially expanding the training dataset, which contributed to better generalization on unseen data. The use of normalization and label encoding further improved the model's performance, ensuring that the inputs were appropriately scaled and encoded for optimal processing.

In addition to the disease detection capabilities, the project successfully implemented a Flask-based user interface, allowing for real-time interaction and analysis. Farmers and users can easily upload images of their plants to receive immediate feedback on the health status of their crops. Upon detecting a disease, the system not only identifies the specific type of plant disease but also recommends appropriate fertilizers tailored to the crop in question. Furthermore, the application provides valuable tips and precautions for managing the disease, empowering users with actionable insights to enhance their agricultural practices. Overall, the project showcases the potential of AI-driven solutions in revolutionizing agricultural management by enabling timely interventions, improving crop health, and ultimately contributing to increased agricultural productivity.

# CHAPTER 10 CONCLUSION

1. **CONCLUSION**

In conclusion, the project successfully demonstrates the power of leveraging advanced artificial intelligence techniques, particularly DenseNet-based convolutional neural networks, for plant disease detection and management. By employing a comprehensive approach that integrates data augmentation, normalization, and a user-friendly interface, the system not only enhances diagnostic accuracy but also facilitates real-time decision-making for farmers. This innovation addresses the critical need for efficient and timely disease management in agriculture, providing a valuable tool that can significantly improve crop health and yield.

Furthermore, the findings from this project highlight the broader implications of AI in agriculture, showcasing how technology can be harnessed to meet the challenges posed by plant diseases. As the global demand for food continues to rise, implementing AI-driven solutions can help ensure sustainable agricultural practices and optimize resource management. The project's successful implementation serves as a foundation for future research and development in this area, encouraging further exploration of AI applications in various agricultural domains to foster innovation and enhance food security.

# CHAPTER 11 FUTURE ENHANCEMENT

1. **FUTURE ENHANCEMENT**

Future enhancements for the project can focus on expanding the model's capabilities and improving user experience. One potential direction is to incorporate additional data modalities, such as environmental factors like soil moisture, temperature, and humidity, which can influence plant health and disease susceptibility. By integrating multi-modal data, the system could provide more comprehensive insights and predictive analytics for disease outbreaks. Additionally, exploring the use of advanced deep learning architectures, such as hybrid models combining CNNs with recurrent neural networks (RNNs) or attention mechanisms, could further improve detection accuracy and allow the model to capture temporal patterns in plant health data. Implementing user feedback mechanisms within the Flask interface could facilitate continuous learning and model refinement, ensuring that the system adapts over time to emerging plant diseases and changing agricultural practices. Furthermore, developing mobile applications could enhance accessibility for farmers in remote areas, enabling them to use the technology directly in the field. Finally, collaborations with agricultural experts and institutions can help validate and enhance the recommendations provided by the system, ensuring that the suggestions for fertilizer and disease management are grounded in the latest agricultural research and best practices.

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