CNN Infection Detection

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Wound Infection Cost

Economic Cost



 U.S. cost of wound treatment is about \$25 billion per year

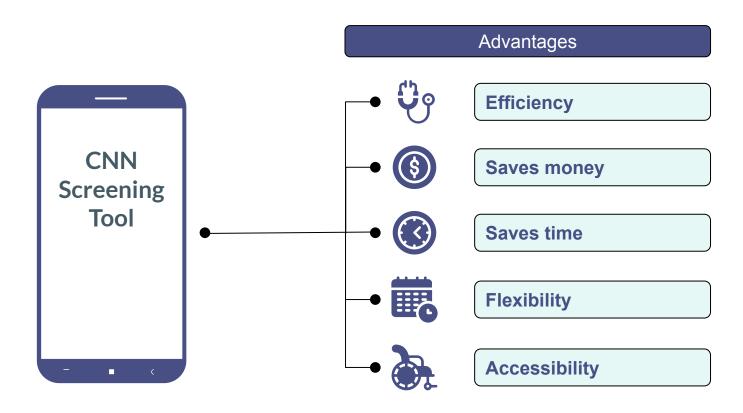
Human Cost



- Prolonged hospital stays
- Chronic morbidity or even death
- Anxiety



Use Case



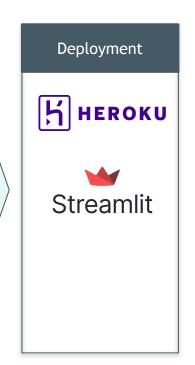


Methods







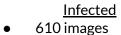




Data / Model

CNN Model

- Trained on ~2,500 images
- ~300 images in validation set
- 177,041,602 total params

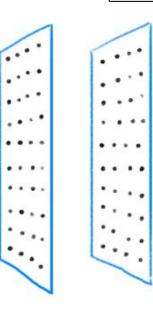


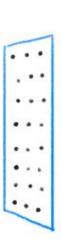




- 610 images
 - ~50% scabs, cuts and scrapes
 - ~50% healthy skin



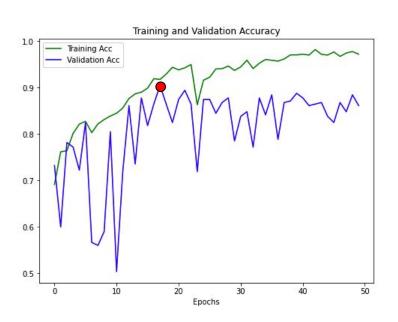






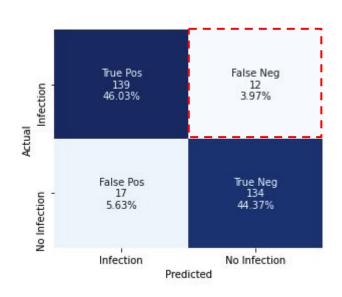


Model Evaluation



Best Weights

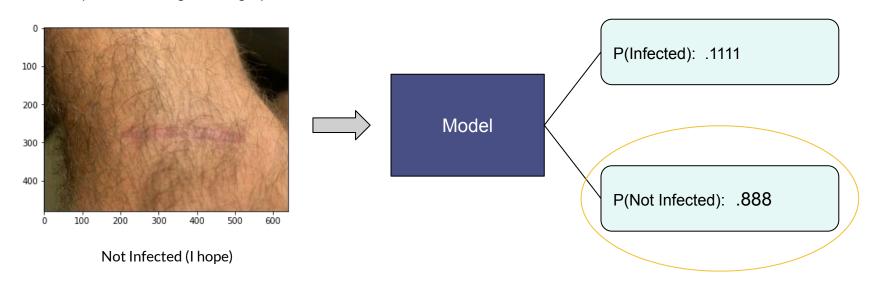
Accuracy: .90 Infection Recall: .92





Deployment

My knee following ACL surgery





Next Steps















Gather More Data

 Partner with providers to obtain larger dataset with medically reviewed labels

Add Classes

 Create more nuanced classes for infection types and healing stages

Tweak Model

 Continue to tune parameters with an eye on minimizing false negatives

Launch App

 Embed within patient portals such as MyChart so Dr. receives alert and uploaded images

THANKS

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