

**Single Deep CNN Features to Detect Neurodegenerative  
Diseases: Alzheimer's, Parkinson's and Dementia**



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# *Introduction*

Neurodegenerative diseases occur when nerve cells in the brain or peripheral nervous system lose function over time and ultimately die. **Alzheimer's** disease, **Parkinson's** disease, and **dementia** are most common examples of neurodegenerative disease. We can detect these three diseases with a single DL model through our work.

# *Problem Statement*



Identifying neurodegenerative diseases with proper explanation using one model is quite challenging.

## *Problem Background*



The present neurodegenerative diseases detection system only detects one disease.



Identifying neurodegenerative diseases is a deadly problem that needs to be solved.



Due to the similarities in disease phenotypes, accurate detection of neurodegenerative diseases, including the context behind the detection is problematic.

# *Motivation*



Detect the disease  
in early stage.



Detect three  
diseases with a  
single model.



To reduce wasting  
time & cost.

# *Objectives*



Identifying present difficulty to work with neuroimaging data.



Build a DL model to detect three Neurodegenerative Diseases named Alzheimer's, Parkinson's and Dementia.



Get decent accuracy using a suitable MRI dataset.



Comparing the existing architectures with the proposed work for neurodegenerative diseases detection.



# Literature Review

Author	Disease	Model	Dataset	Accuracy
M. Biswas et al. [1]	AD	Deep CNN	Kaggle	99.38%
A. W. Salehi et al. [2]	AD	CNN	ADNI	99%
Y. AbdulAzeem et al. [3]	AD	CNN based end-to-end	ADNI	97.5%
J. A. Akhila et al. [4]	DD	Feed Forward ANN	OASIS	97.5%
A. Bidani et al. [5]	DD	Deep CNN + TL	OASIS	81.94%
S. Murugan et al. [6]	DD	DEMNET	ADNI	95.23%
W. Wang et al. [7]	PD	LeNet-5	PPMI	97.92%
S. Sivaranjini et al. [8]	PD	AlexNet	PPMI	88.9%

## *Problem Analysis*

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The existing approaches can detect one disease at a time.

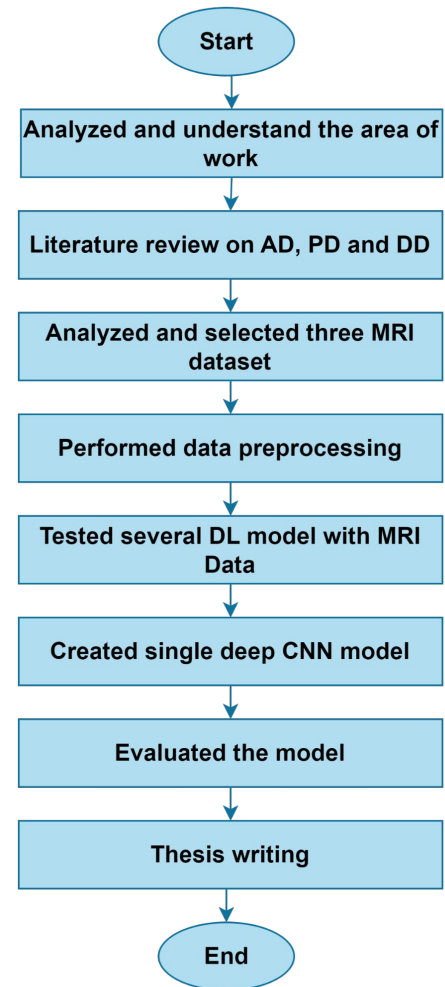
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Costly and time consuming.

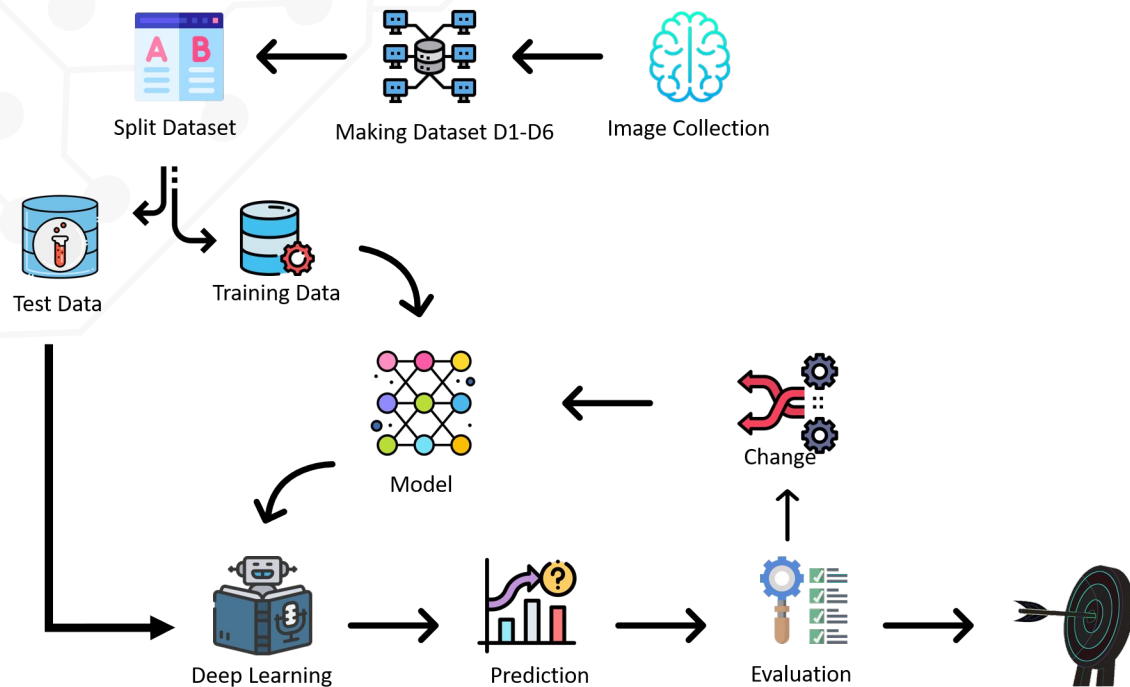
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Accuracy rate is not satisfactory.

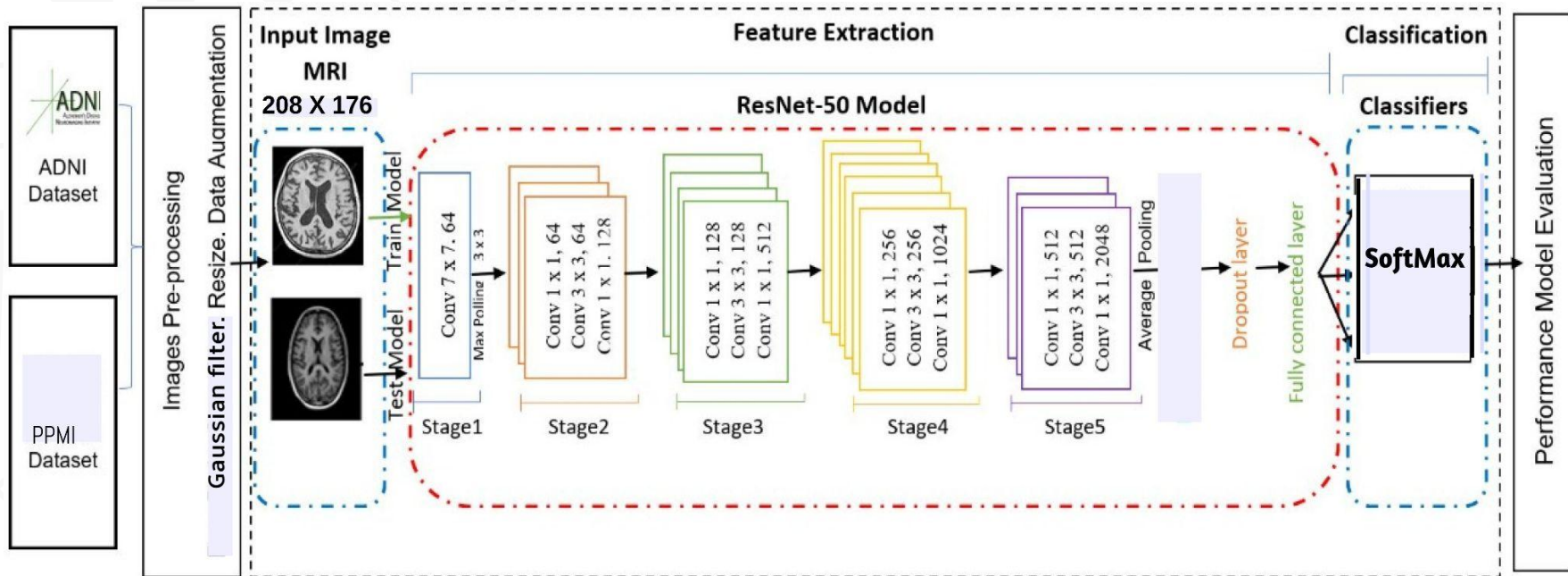
# *Research Flow*



# Research Methodology



# Proposed Model



## *Why did we use the resnet50 model?*



ResNet-50 is a 50-layer convolutional neural network (48 convolutional layers, one MaxPool layer, and one average pool layer).



ResNet-50 has fewer filters and is less complex than a VGGNet.



ResNet-50 is significantly faster than a Vgg-19 Network with 19.6 billion FLOPs.



ResNet-50 model pre-trained machine learning model.



ResNet-50 model helps achieve higher performance even if the model is trained on a smaller dataset.

## *Some challenges in our project*



Converting all disease images to the same format.



Finding a good model.



ResNet50 model arise an overfitting problem.

## *Ethics*

For our work we got our datasets from Kaggle, PPMI & OASIS. Our collected datasets are open source. From their written description these datasets were approved to show openly. In that case, we can say we didn't break any law or regulation.



## *Impact on Society*



It is essential in order to treat patients at an early stage.



It can also be used as a tool for raising awareness.

# *Sustainability*

- From previous works obtaining highest result we took inspiration and made a decision of using Deep Learning to get better result.
- Through our proposed approach we can detect three diseases which wasn't been done yet so with huge hope, we think our work can fulfill the sustainability.

## *Conclusion*

In our society, there are a significant number of senior persons who suffer from neurodegenerative diseases. Through this work, we can detect three diseases with a single model which will be beneficial for medical professionals & an extensive field of research.

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