Project Idea: Brain Tumor Detection Using MRI Images

Week 1: Data Collection and Preprocessing

Tasks:

- Data Collection: Acquire MRI image datasets (e.g., from public sources like Kaggle, or medical repositories such as TCIA).
- Data Preprocessing: Preprocess the MRI images (resize, normalize, and possibly augment the images for better training results). Techniques like denoising and contrast enhancement might be useful.
- o **Tools:** Python (Pandas, NumPy), OpenCV, TensorFlow/Keras.

Deliverables:

- Cleaned and preprocessed MRI dataset.
- Data preprocessing notebook documenting all steps.

Week 2: Data Science and Machine Learning

• Tasks:

- Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA): Analyze the MRI dataset to understand the distribution of tumor types, sizes, and locations.
- Data Visualization: Visualize the distribution of MRI images based on tumor presence, types of tumors, and pixel intensity. Use plots such as histograms, boxplots, and heatmaps to showcase the data's characteristics.
- o **Tools:** Python (Scikit-learn, TensorFlow/Keras, Matplotlib, Seaborn).

• Deliverables:

 EDA report with Data visualizations (e.g., histograms, class distribution) to make it easier to understand the data and how it is correlated.

Week 3: Model Building and Azure Integration

Tasks:

- Model Development: Build and evaluate basic classification models (CNNs) to detect tumors (binary classification: tumor/no tumor).
- Azure Al Fundamentals: Deploy the trained model on Azure for real-time detection and scale the application.
- Tools: Azure Machine Learning, Python (TensorFlow/Keras, PyTorch, Scikit-learn,).

Deliverables:

- o Initial CNN model with performance metrics.
- Deployment setup using Azure Machine Learning.

Week 4: MLOps, GANs, and Final Presentation

• Tasks:

- MLOps: Use MLflow to track and manage the machine-learning models throughout the project.
- o **Data Augmentation with GANs:** Implement a Generative Adversarial Network (GAN) to create synthetic MRI images for further training and to increase the dataset size.
- o **Final Report and Presentation:** Prepare a final report and presentation covering data preprocessing, model development, GANs, and Azure deployment.
- o **Tools:** MLflow, Python (TensorFlow/PyTorch for GANs), Azure services.

• Deliverables:

- o Deployed tumor detection model with GAN-generated MRI images.
- o Final report and presentation summarizing the project's work.