

Deep Learning-based Pose Estimation for Dystonia Score Prediction

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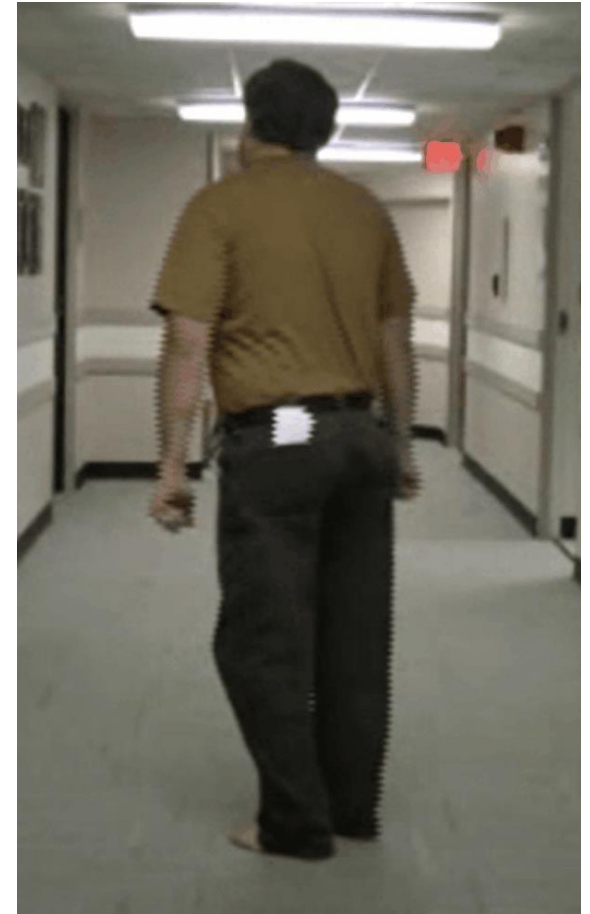
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Problem Definition

- **Dystonia:** a neurological movement disorder
 - repetitive/twisting movements or muscle contractions
 - cause not known yet; no cure
 - medications/ surgery can improve symptoms
- **Personalized** selection of medicines and doses
 - need frequent clinic visits
 - expert medical personnel to measure symptoms
- Subjective bias
 - need **objective assessment**



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Motivation

- Revolution in automation/ intelligent systems
- Resource-constrained environment: remote Nepal
 - telemedicine: assess dystonia patients in remote area
 - supplement frequent clinic visits
- Accelerating clinical trials with objective assessment
- Eyewitness of complexities with neurological disorder

Objectives

Are **computer vision-based** approaches capable of an **automated non-obtrusive clinical assessment** of dystonia?

- Assess feasibility of current computer vision method
- ML model to probe the presence of dystonia
- Explore possible features for the ML models

Scope of Project

- Generic dystonia:
 - specific dystonia requires complex modelling
- Can't cope with falsification of medical situation
- Used open-source pose estimation algorithm
- 2D video capture method



Originality of Project

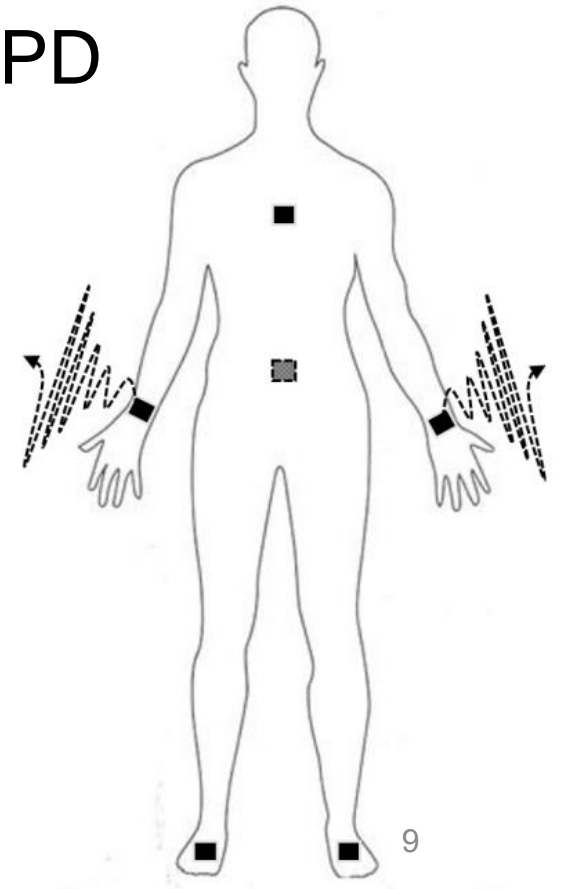
- **Firsthand processing** of very raw videos for pose analysis
 - Dystonia Coalition
- **Feasibility with pose-based model** for dystonia scoring model
- Original implementation of **dystonia scoring model** with CNN

Project Applications

- Telemedicine: remote Nepal
- Regular assessments at home environment
 - results can be sent to their consulting neurologist
 - Supplement regular clinic visits
- Inspiration for other pose-based applications

Literature Review [1]

- Objective Assessment of Parkinson's Disease Using ML
[Prince, 2018]
- Sensors to objectively and **quantitatively** evaluate PD
- **Wearable sensors** can aid in regular clinical care
 - but obtrusive; need technical expertise/devices
- Dataset deconstruction technique for **missing data**



Literature Review [2]

- Objective Vision-based Assessment of Parkinson's Disease
[Li, 2017]
 - created Benchmark for the PD evaluation
 - evaluated two pose estimation methods : IDPR and CPM
 - **marker less** computer-based visual system/ Kinect 3D
- **Automatic solution** to the need of frequent assessment
- Detect the presence of PD/LID and **severities**

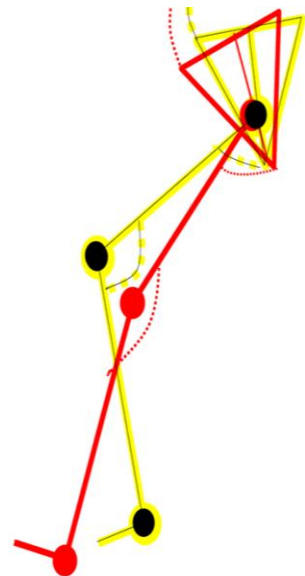


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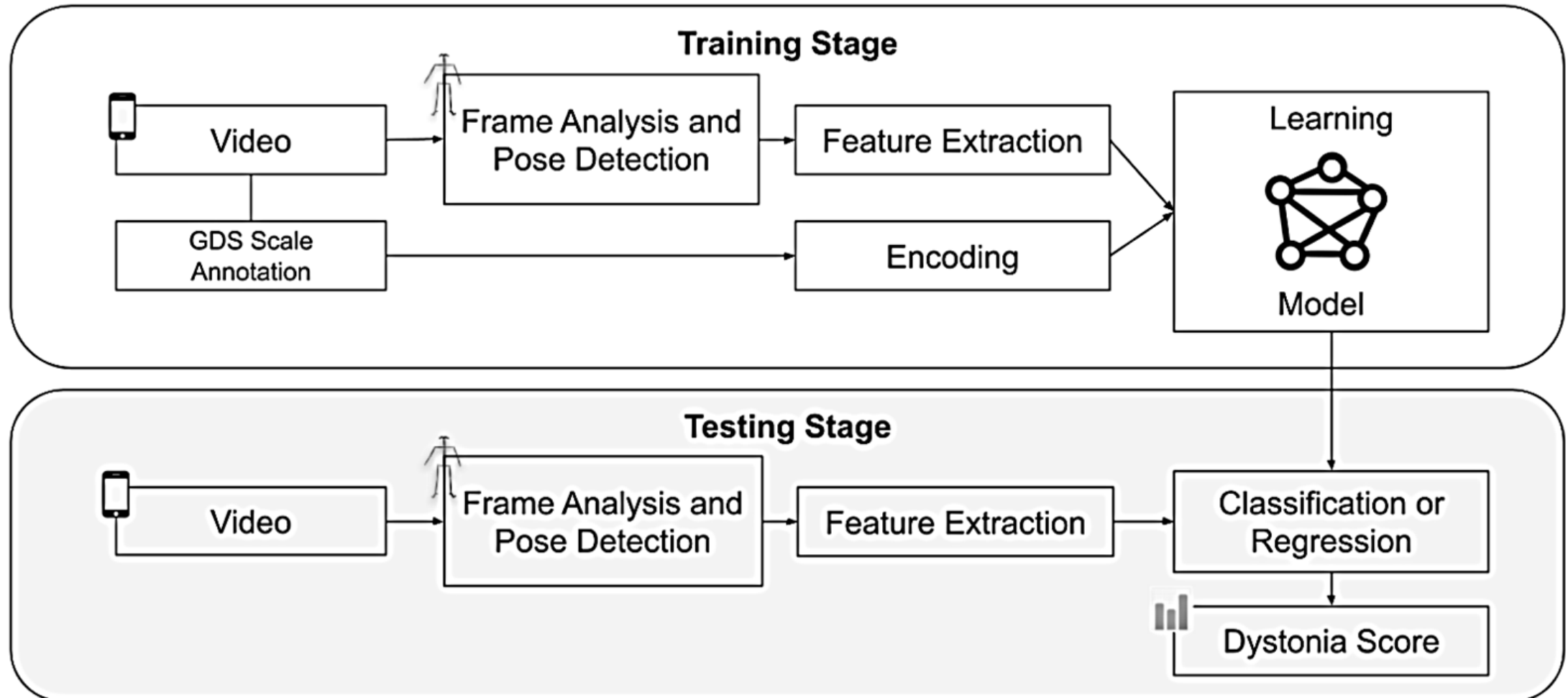
- Quantitative Movement Analysis Using **Single-Camera Videos**

[Kidzinski, 2021]

- derived **time series parameter** that improved model performance
- **OpenPose** for extracting time series of human body landmarks
- correlated predictions with real **clinical assessment values**
- **Multiple ML models** were trained for gait parameters.
- Model **generalizes** well to a diverse impaired population
- No need of **hand-crafted features**



Methodology: Overview



Methodology: Pose Estimation



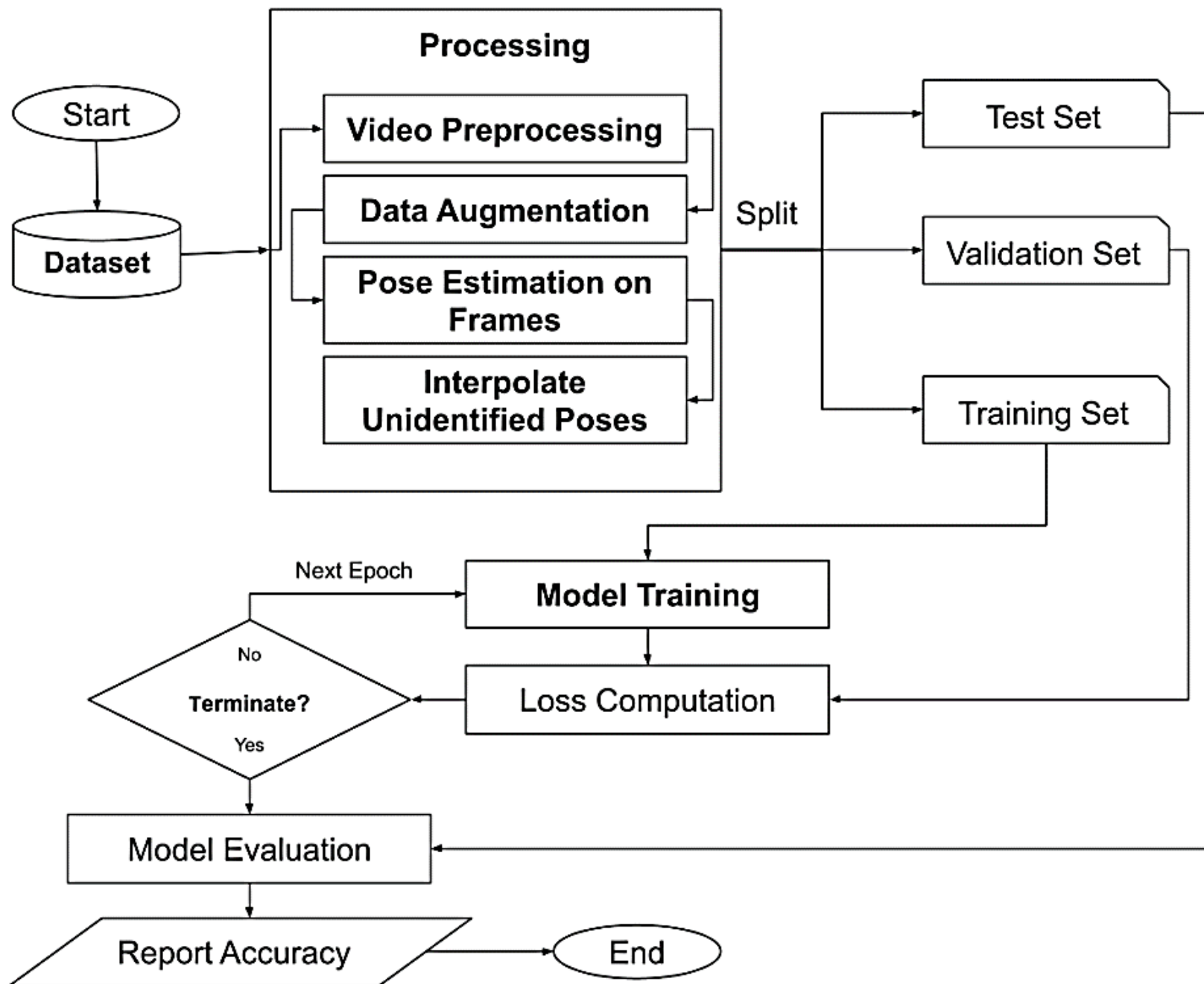
Proposed Methodology:

Global Dystonia Severity Rating Scale (GDS)

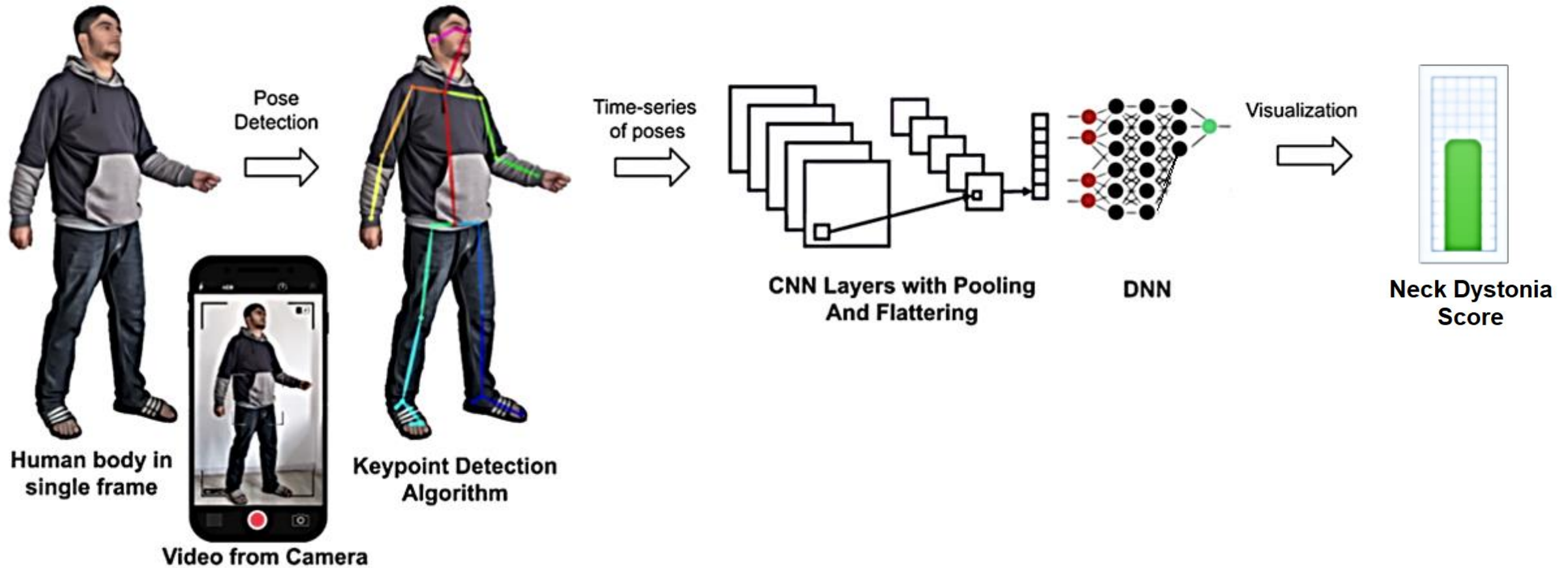
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S.n.	Body Area	Ratings										Global Score
1	Eyes and upper face	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
2	Lower face	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
3	Jaw and Tongue	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
4	Larynx	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
5	Neck	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
6	Shoulder and proximal arm (Right)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	Shoulder and proximal arm (Left)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
7	Distal arm and hand including elbow (Right)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	Distal arm and hand including elbow (Left)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
8	Pelvis and proximal leg (Right)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	Pelvis and proximal leg (Left)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
9	Distal leg and foot including knee (Right)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
	Distal leg and foot including knee (Left)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
10	Trunk	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Total Score												

Methodology: Training Flowchart



Methodology: Testing



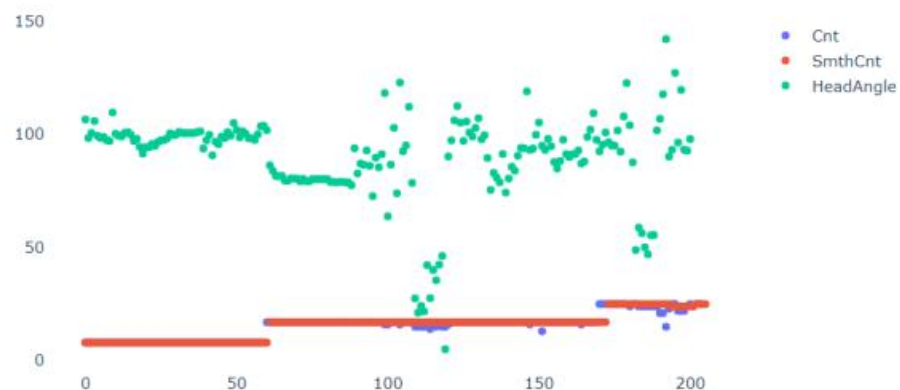
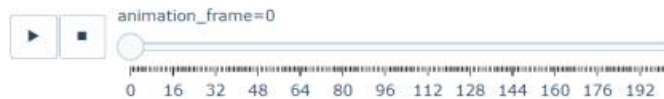
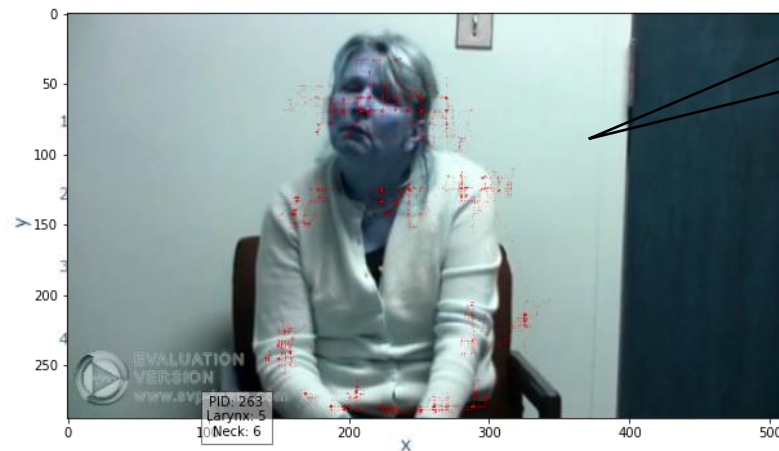
Data List

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Dystonia Visualization



OpenPose
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Poses

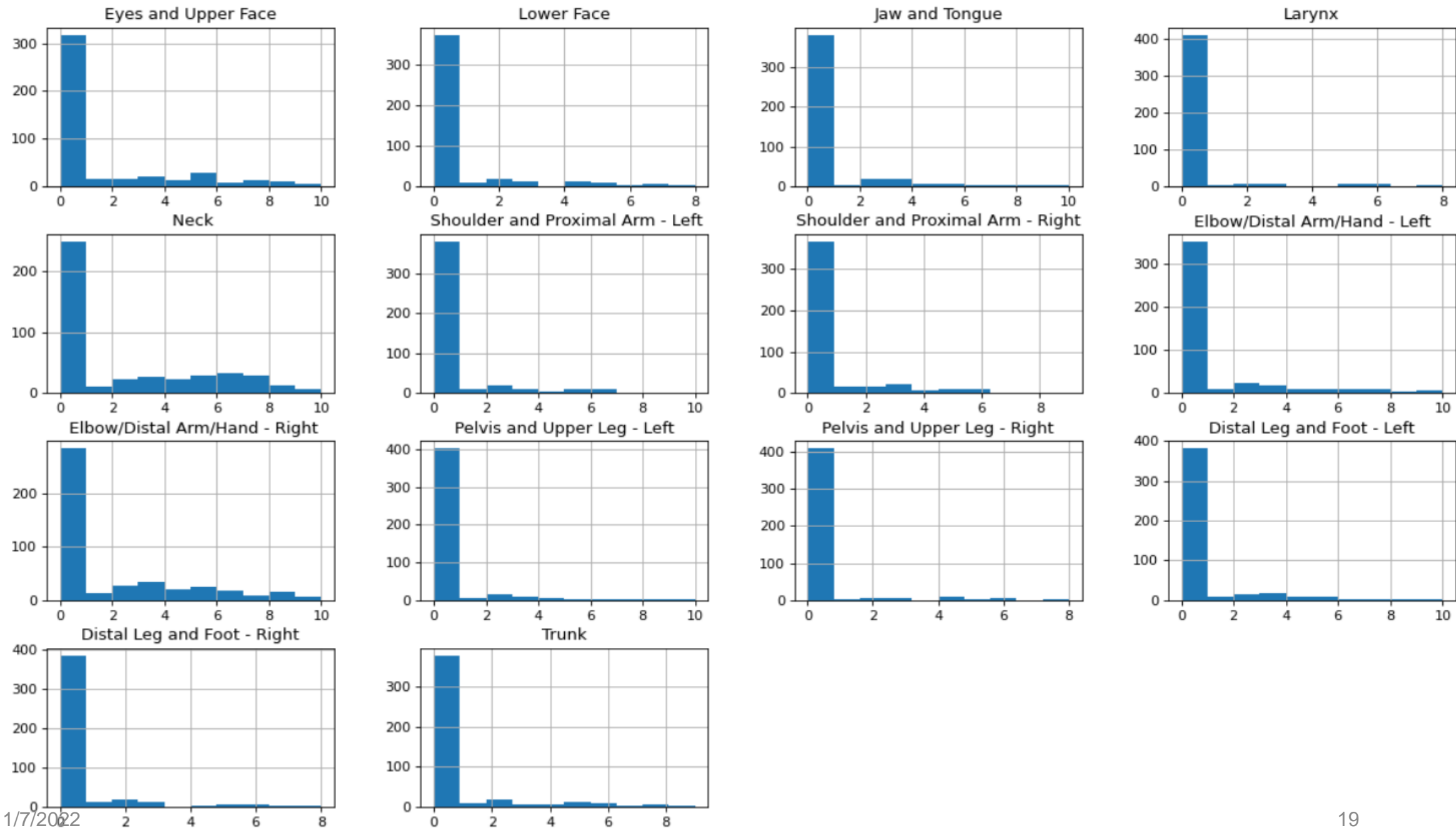
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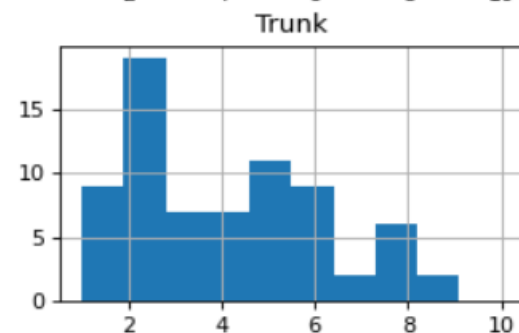
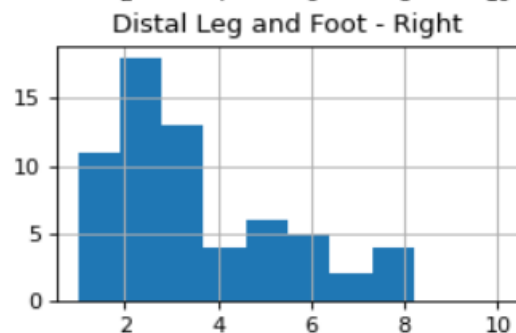
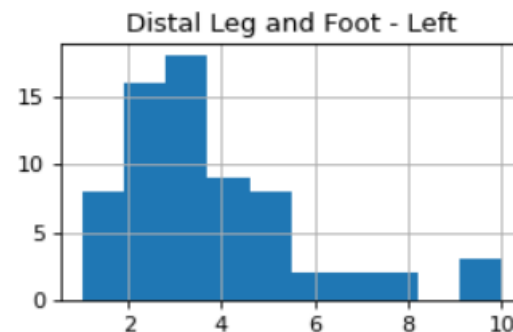
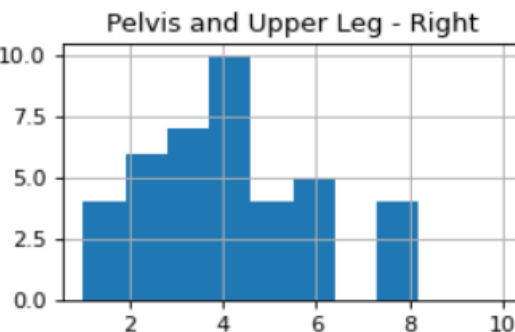
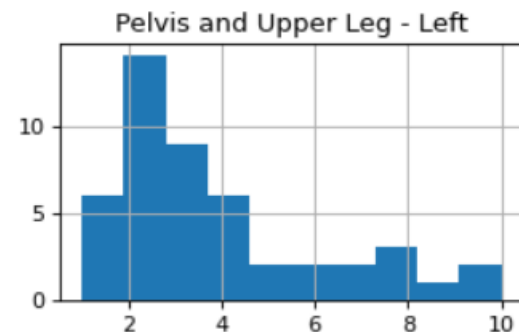
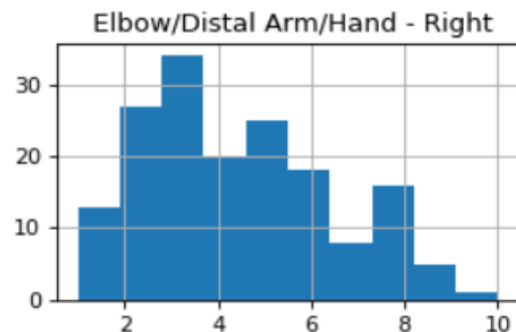
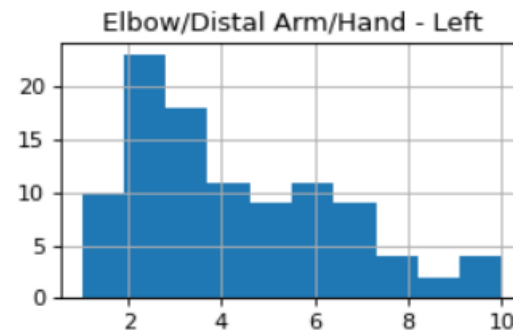
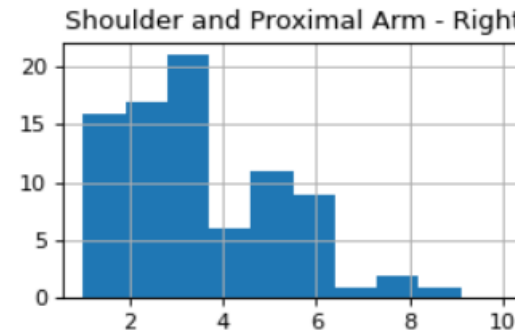
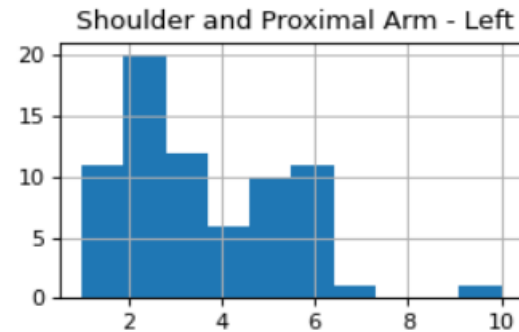
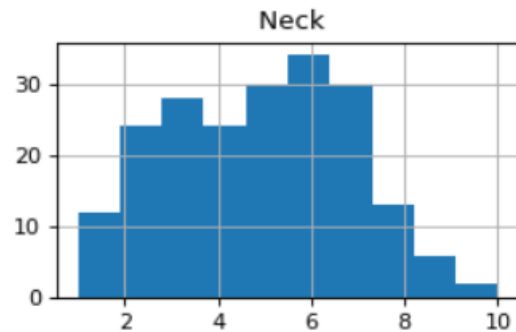
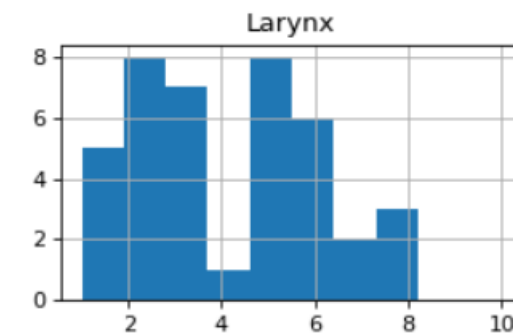
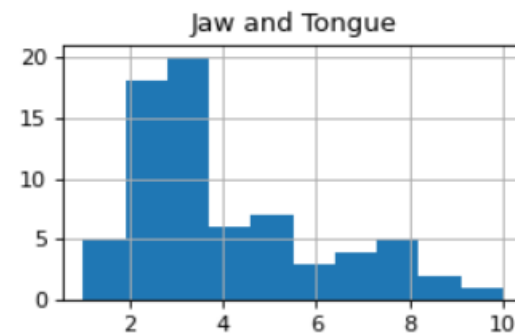
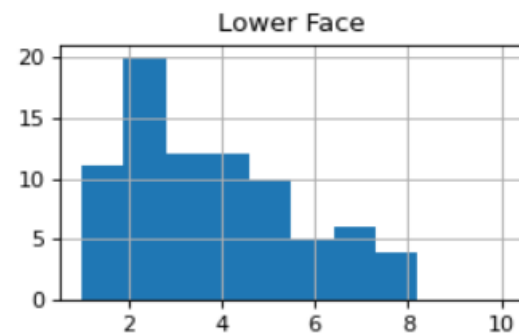
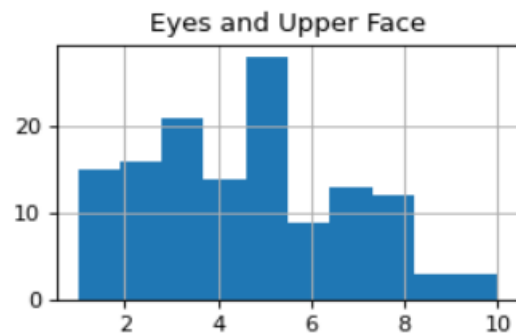
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Visit Date	2012-07-12
Gender	Female
Age in years	60.0
Handedness	Right
Type of Dystonia	Focal Dystonia
Subtype	CervicalDystonia
Size	360x640
Eyes and Upper Face	0
Lower Face	0
Jaw and Tongue	0
Larynx	0
Neck	4
Shoulder and Proximal Arm - Left	0.0
Shoulder and Proximal Arm - Right	0.0
Elbow/Distal Arm/Hand - Left	0.0
Elbow/Distal Arm/Hand - Right	0.0
Pelvis and Upper Leg - Left	0.0
Pelvis and Upper Leg - Right	0.0
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Trunk	0.0

Results [3]: Score Distribution



Results [4]: Score Distribution

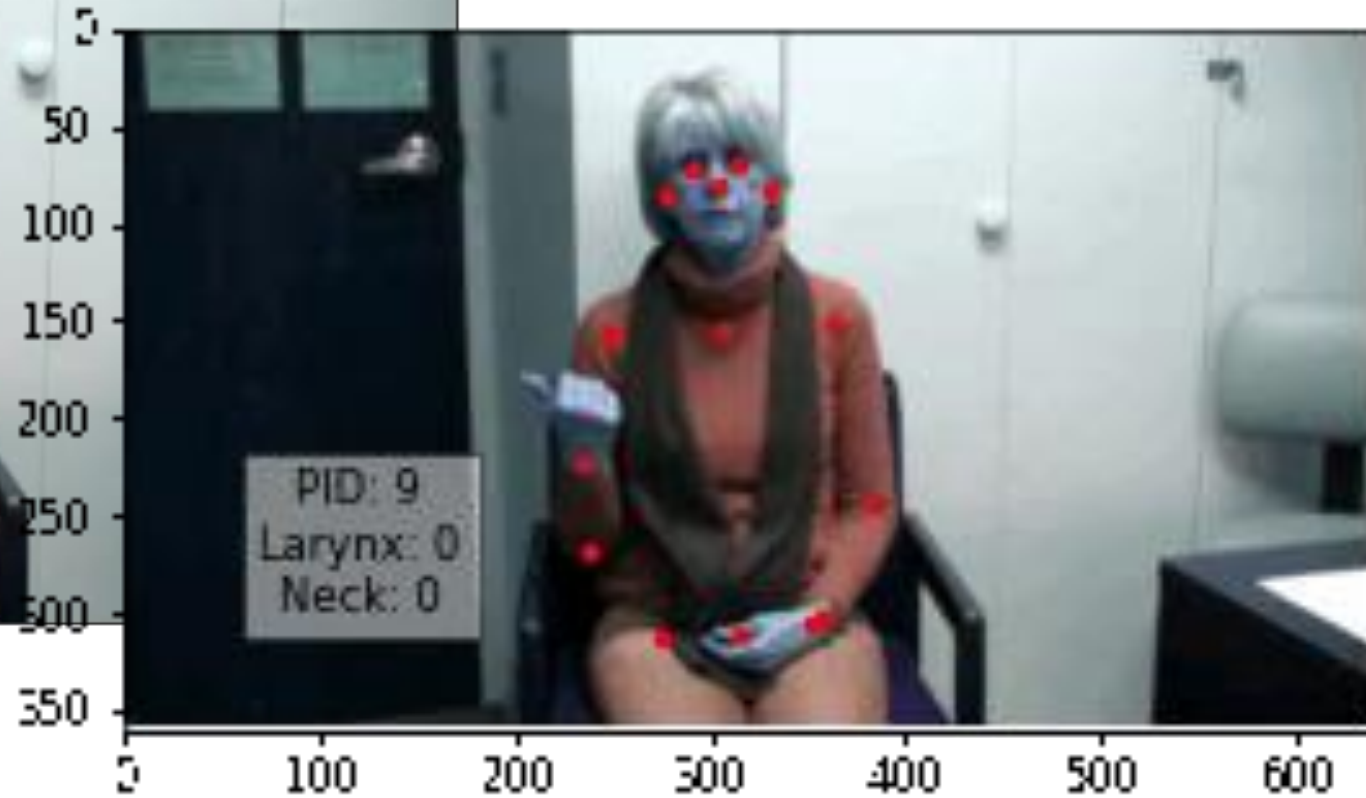
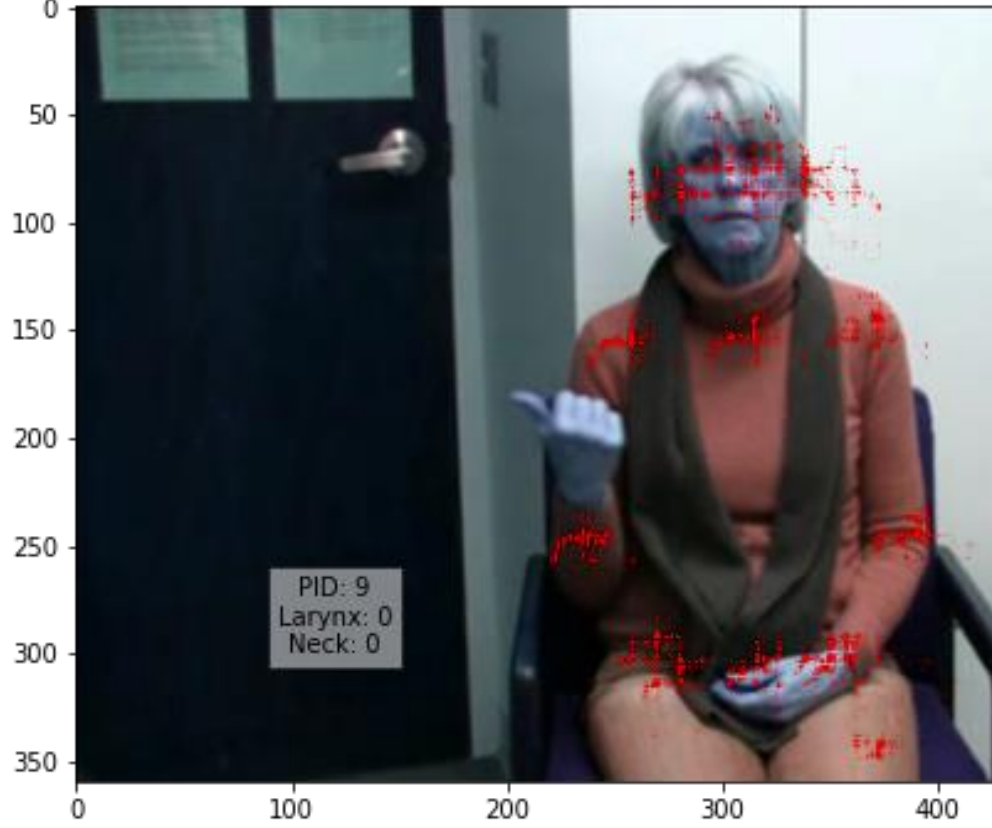


Results: Score Distribution . . .

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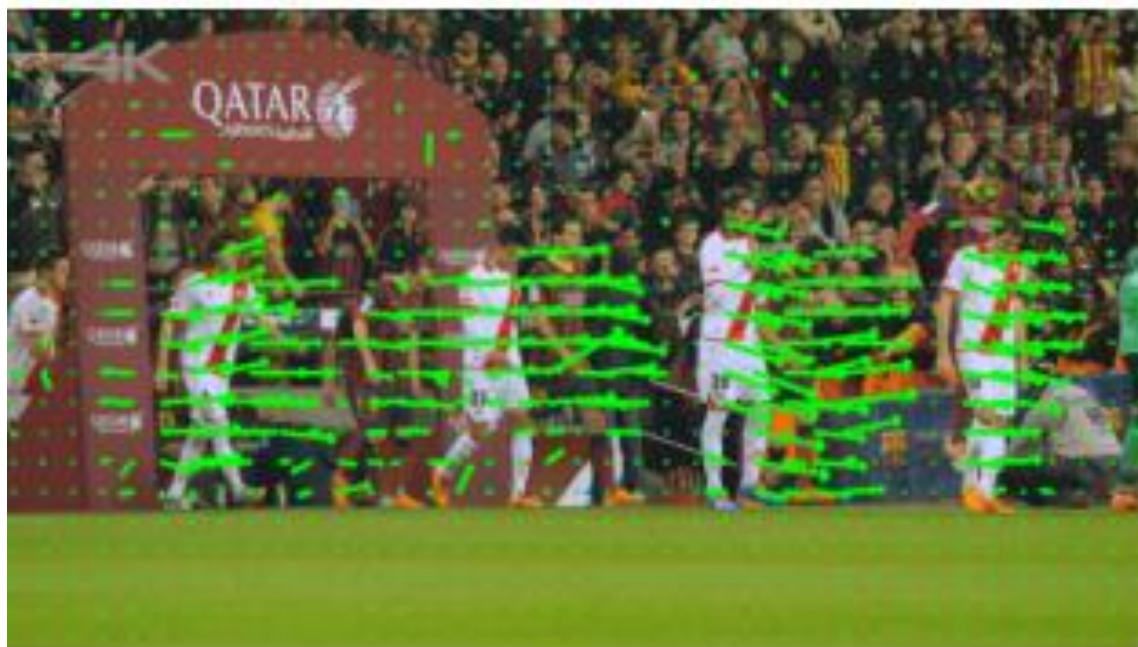


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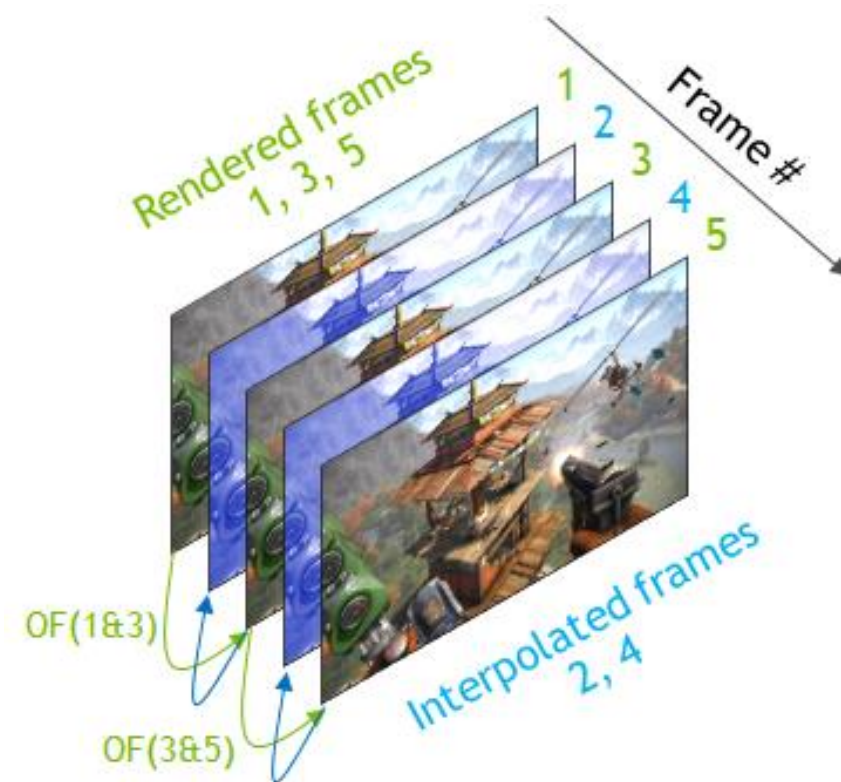


- Selection video segment type
- Manual Annotation
- Applying OpenPose on Segment

Results [6]: FPS Normalization



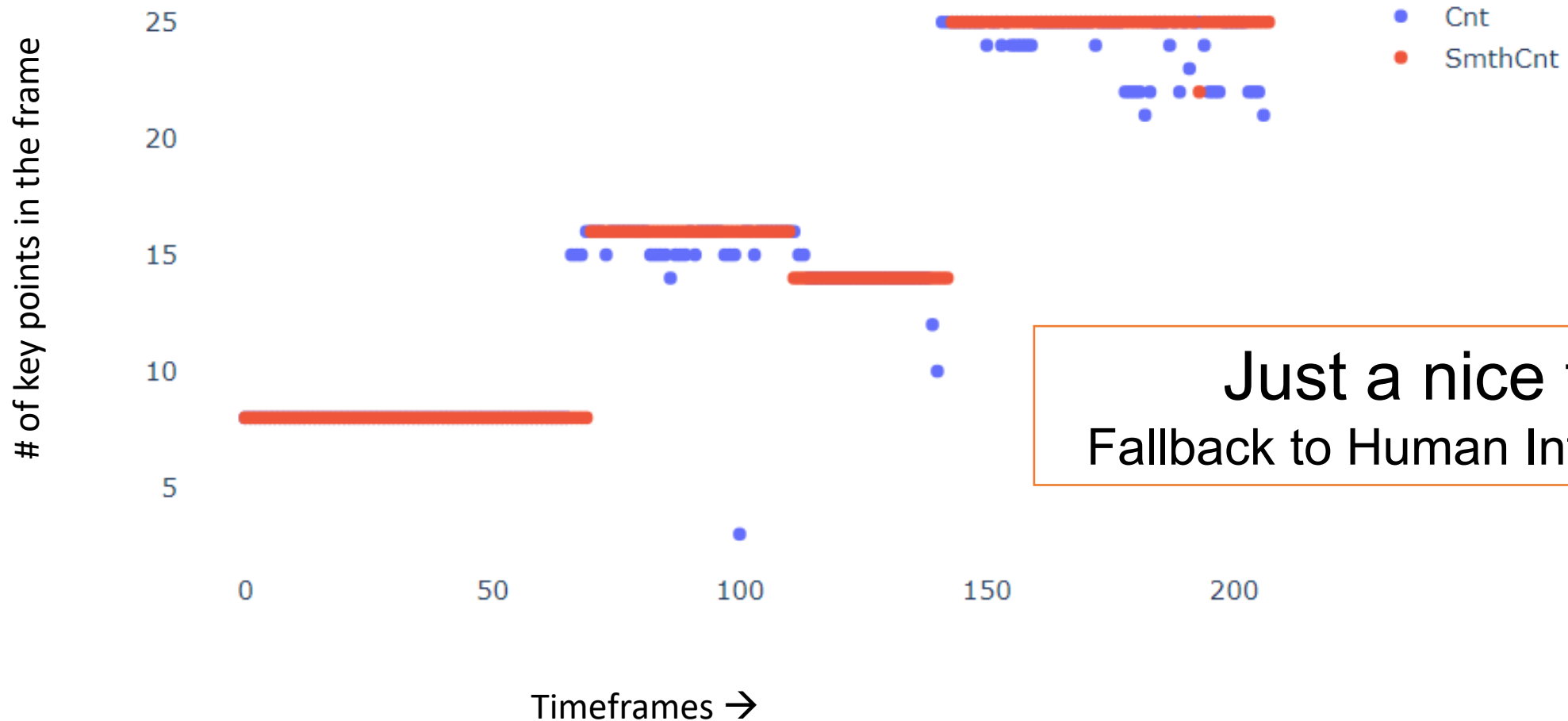
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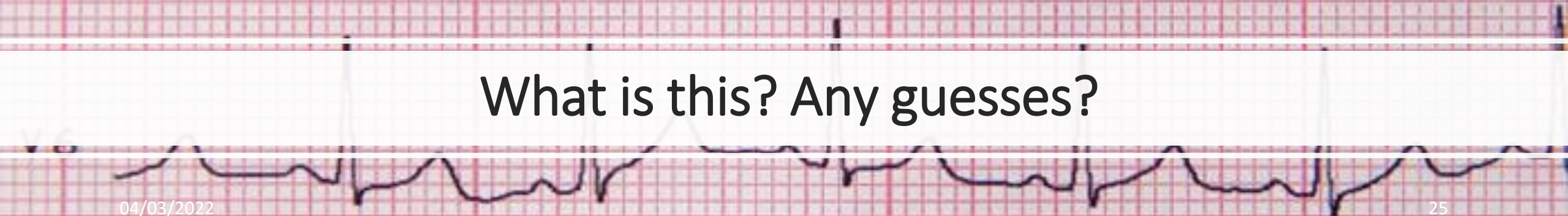
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Result [7]: Automated Action Clustering

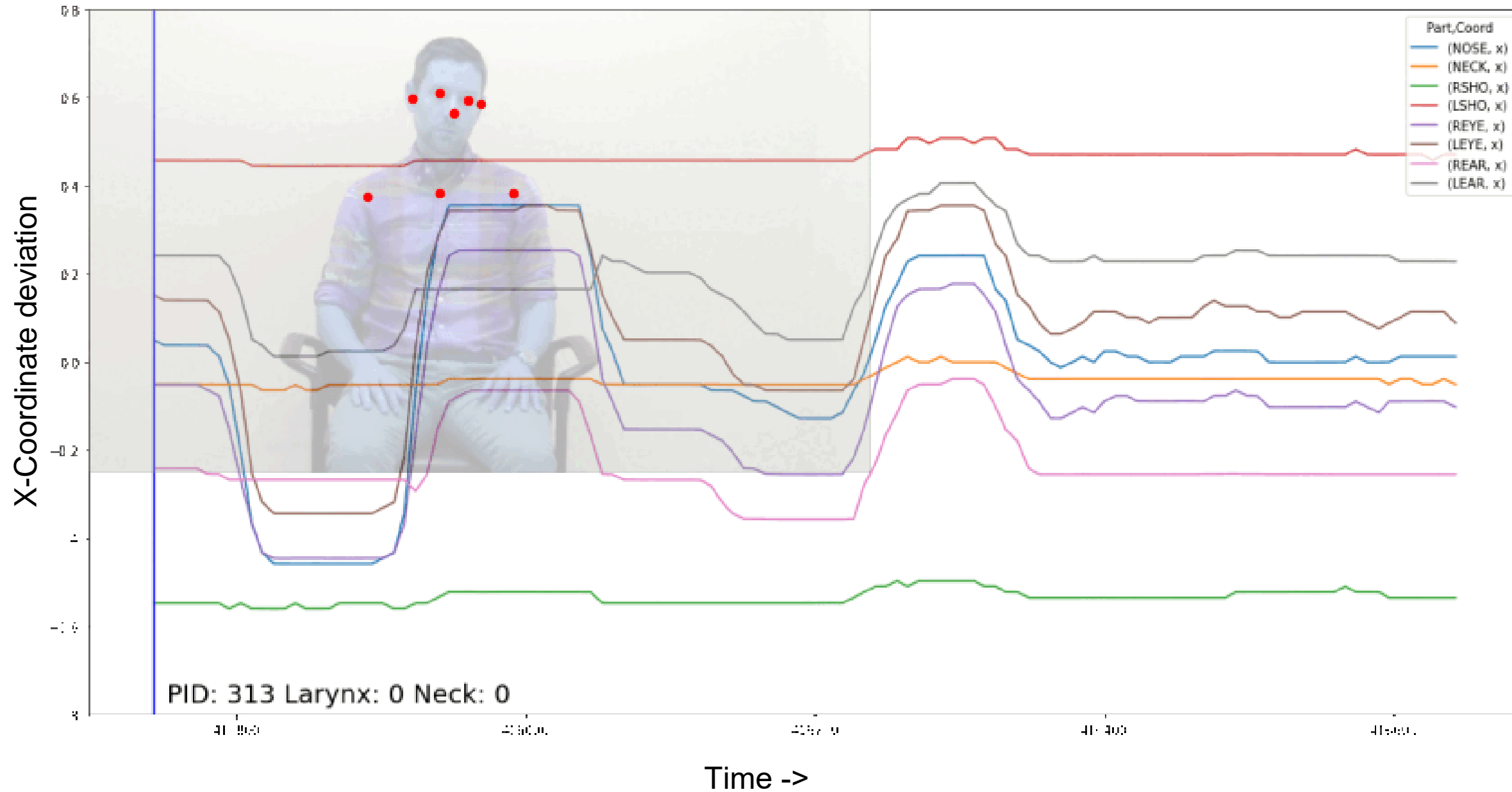




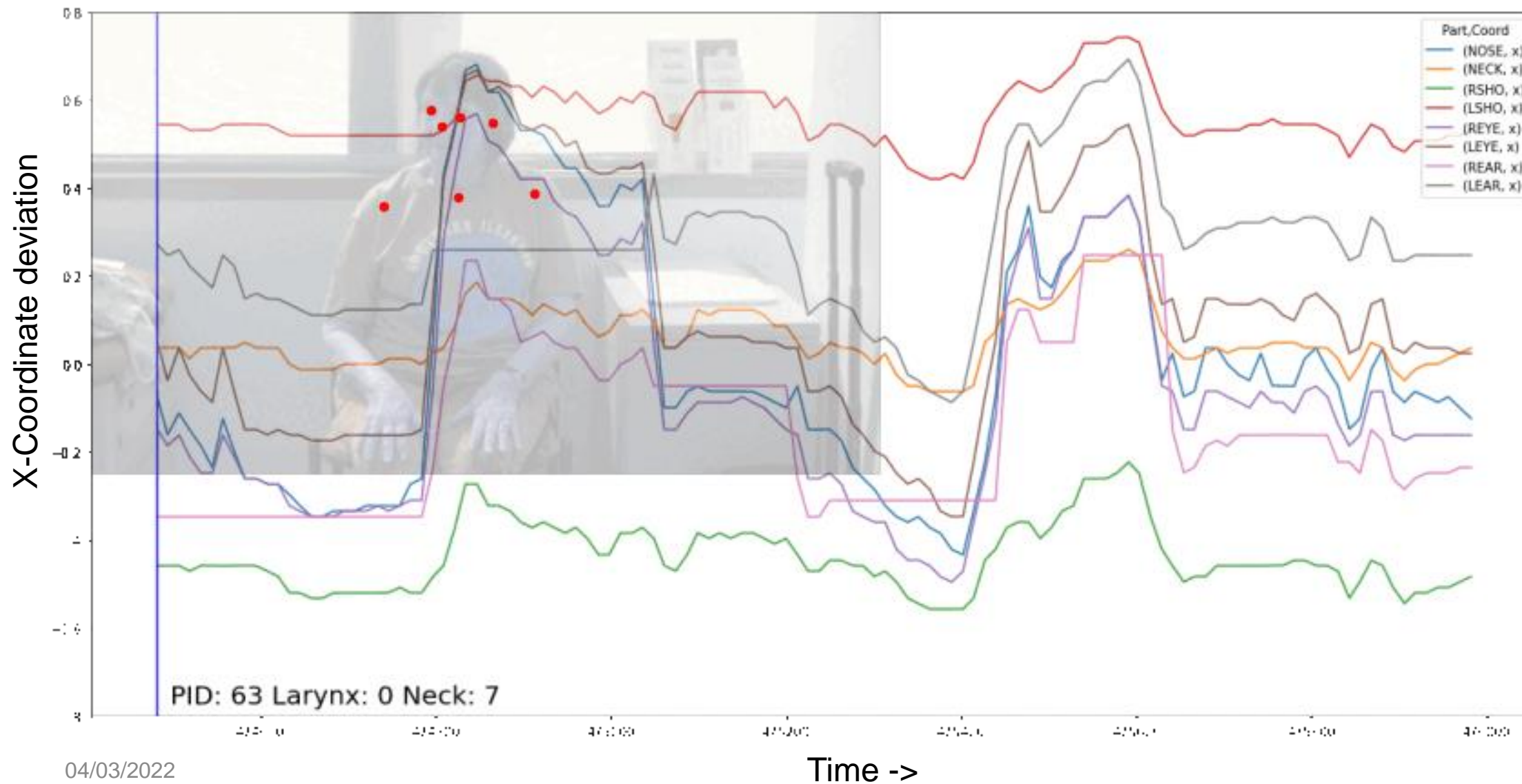
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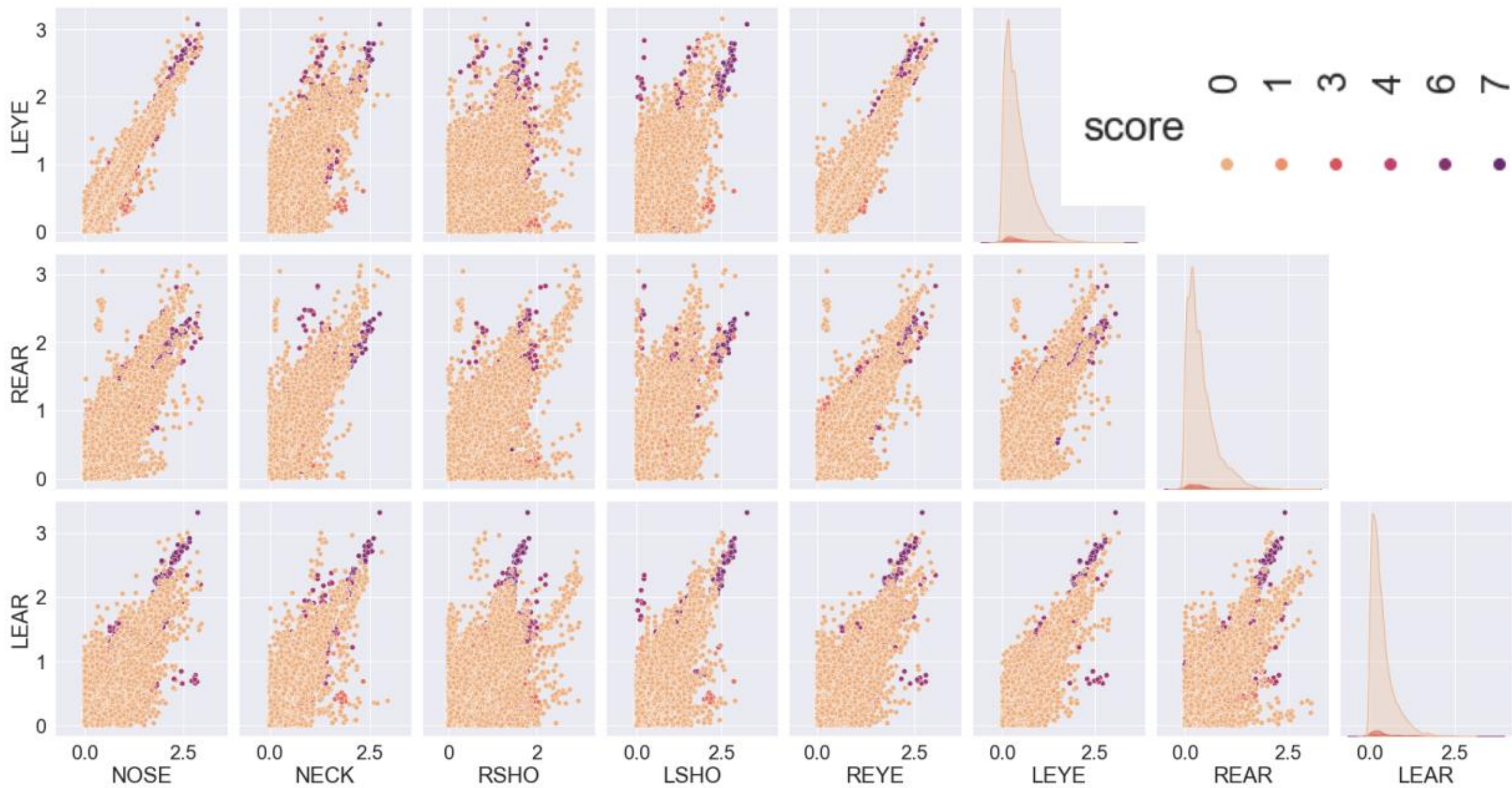
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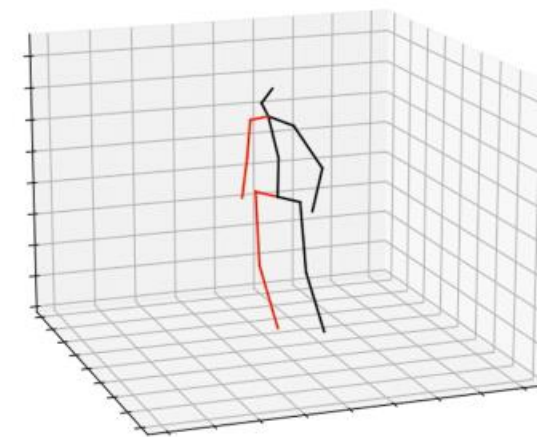
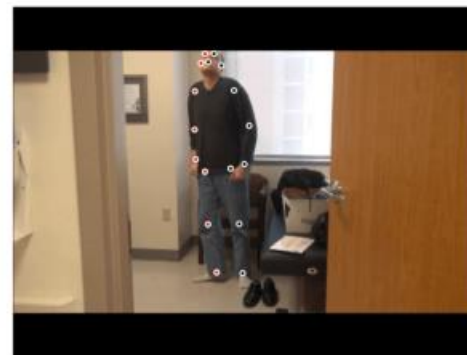
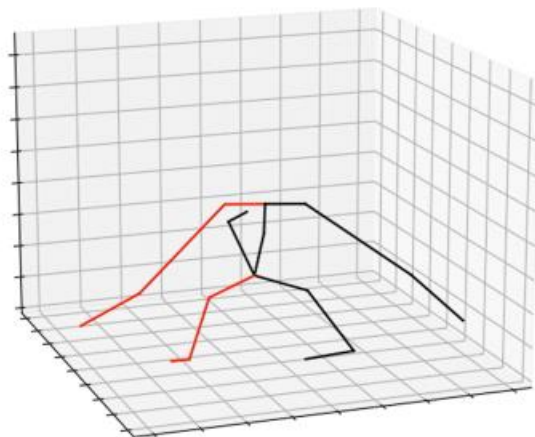
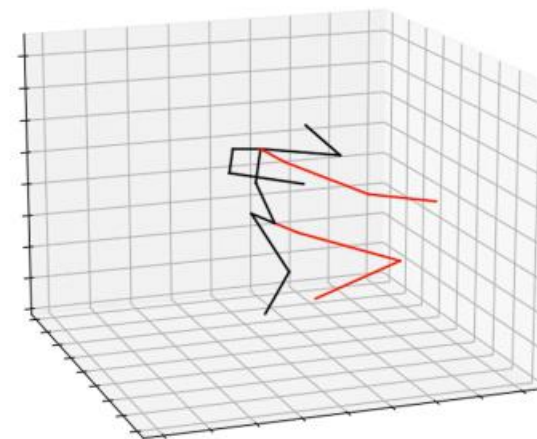
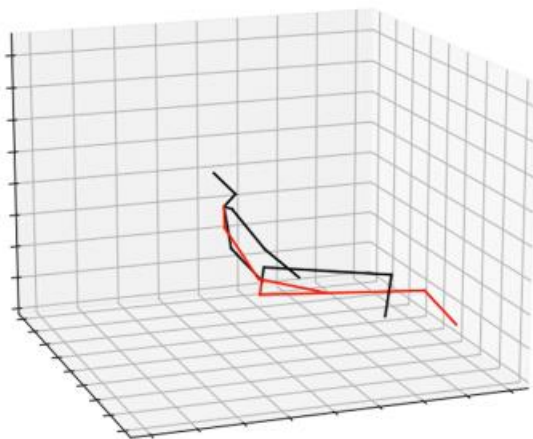
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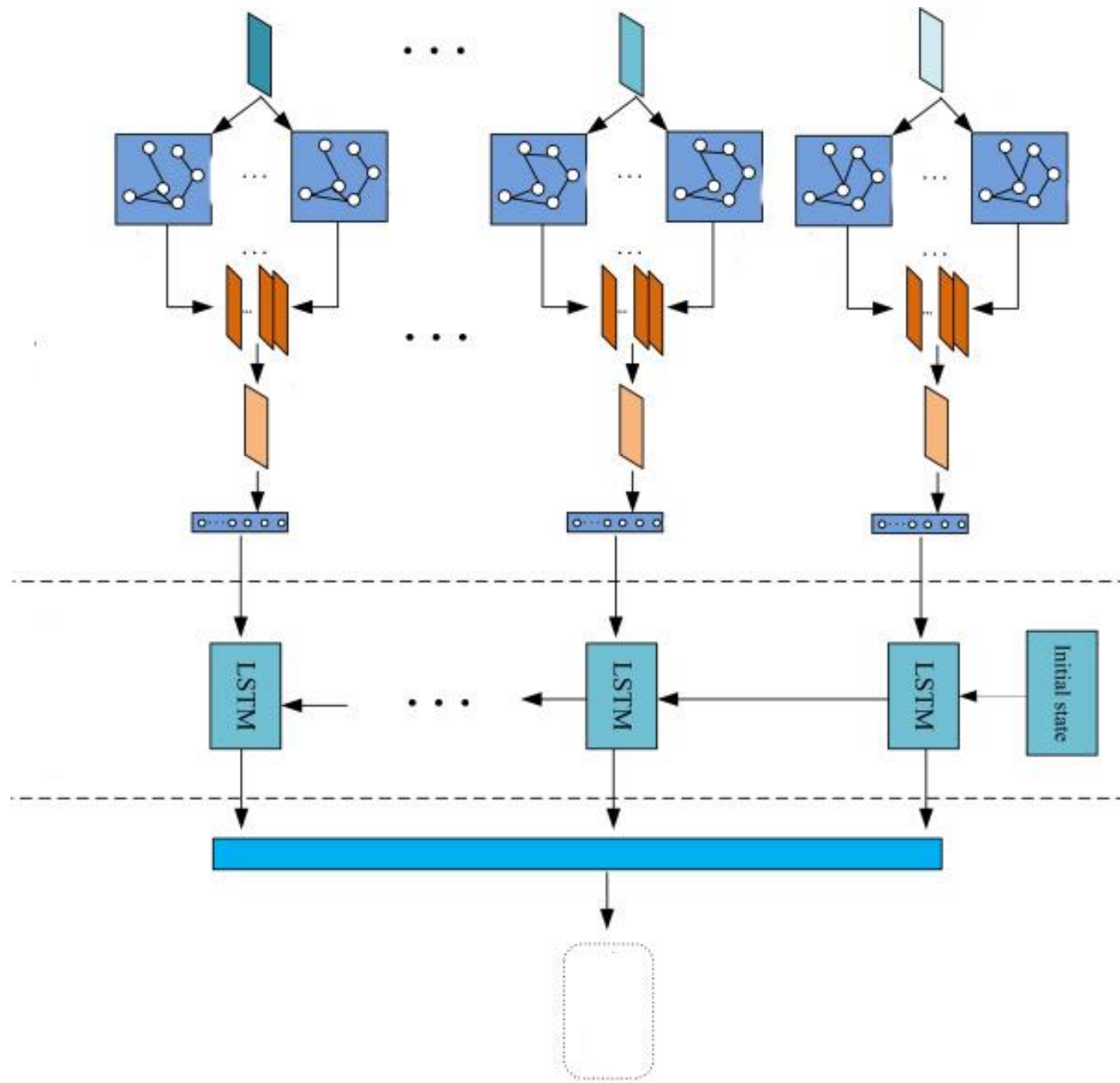
Results [9]: Deviation Correlation



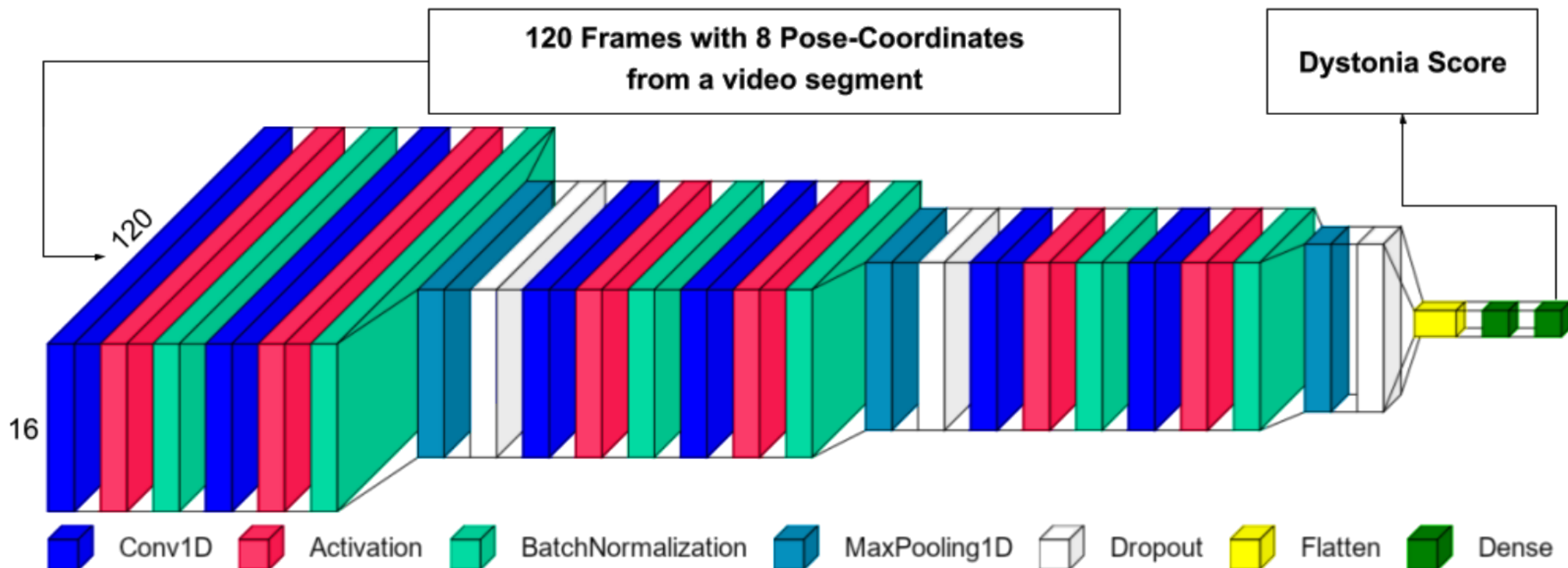
Failed Result [10]: VideoPose3D



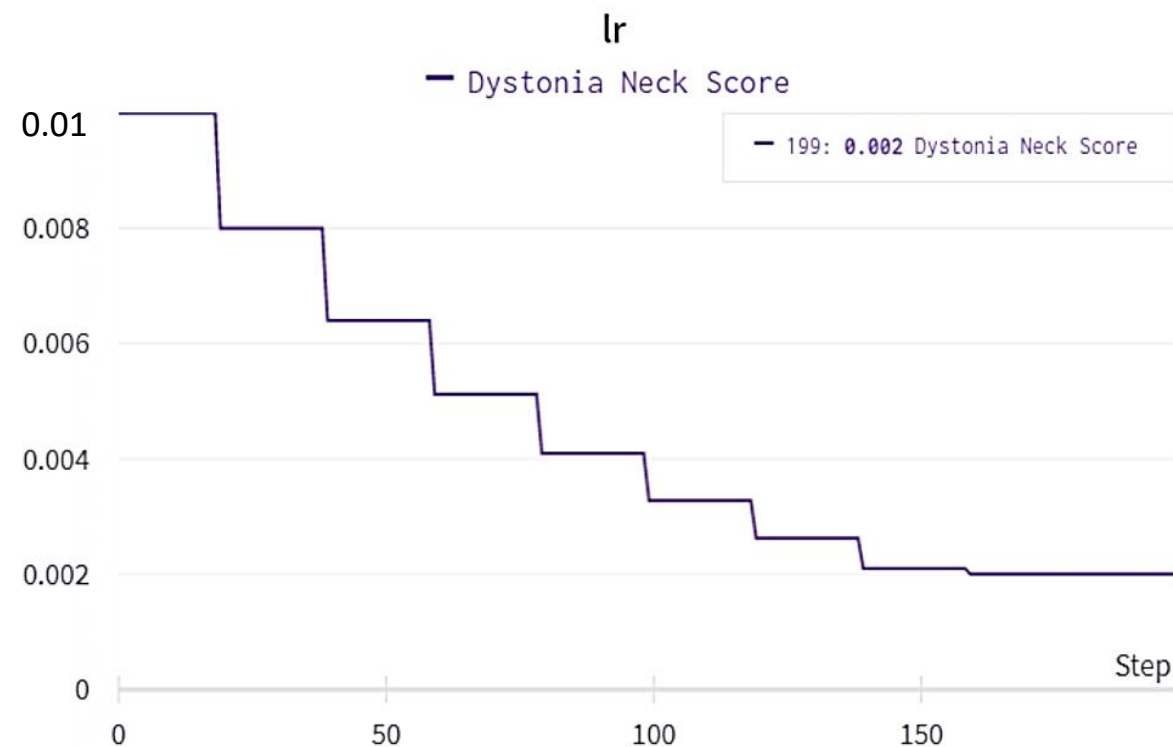
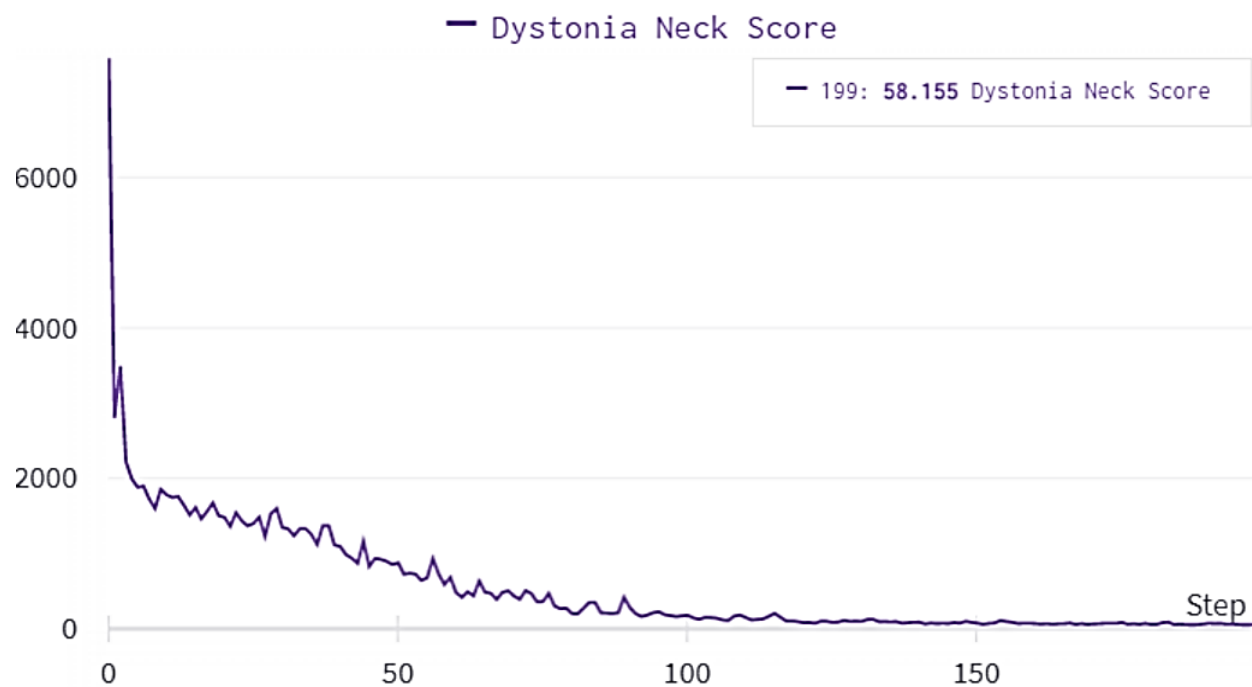
Failed Model: GC-LSTM



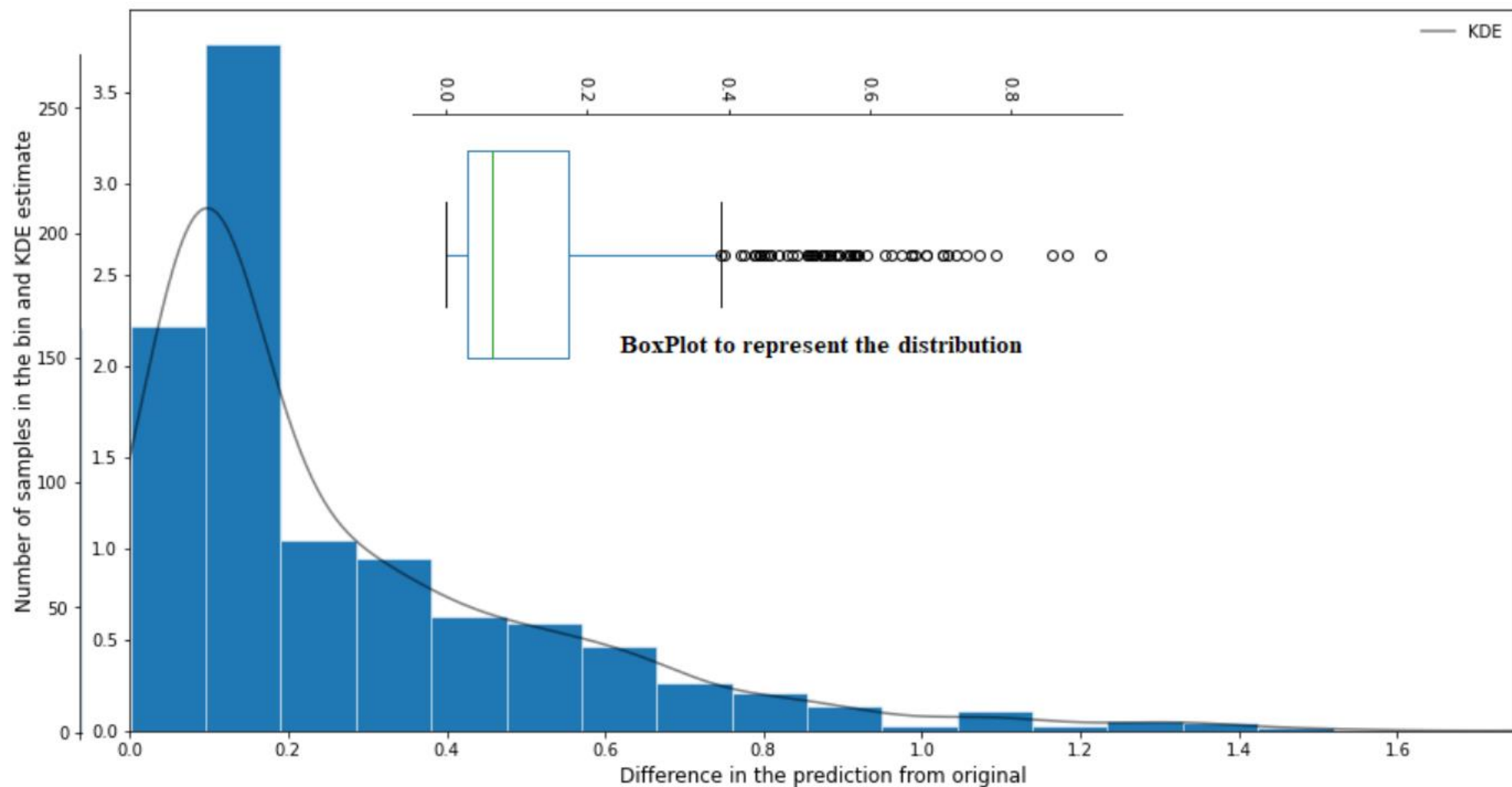
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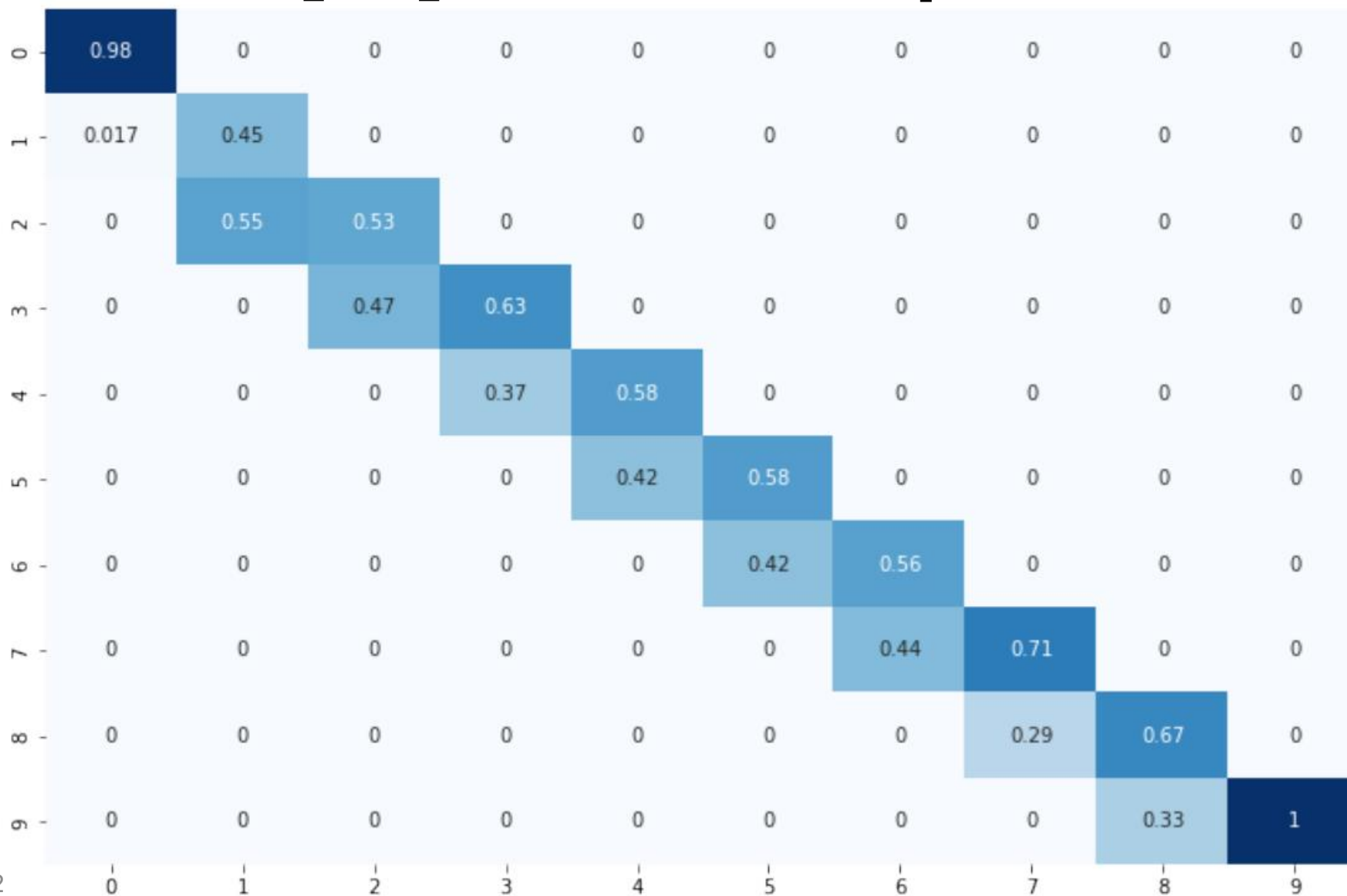
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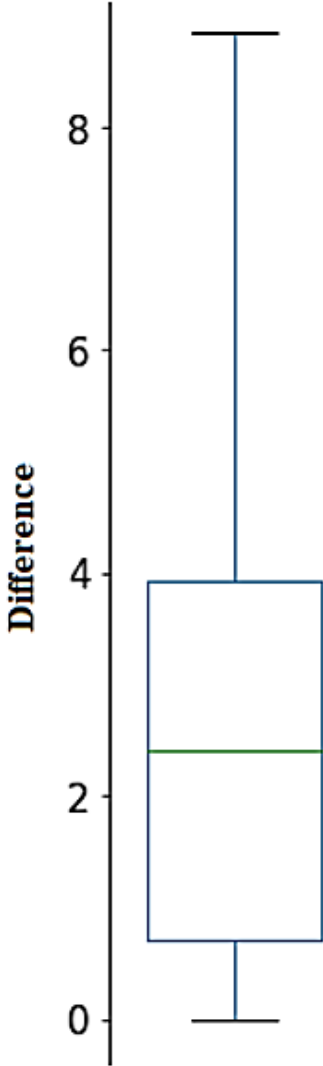
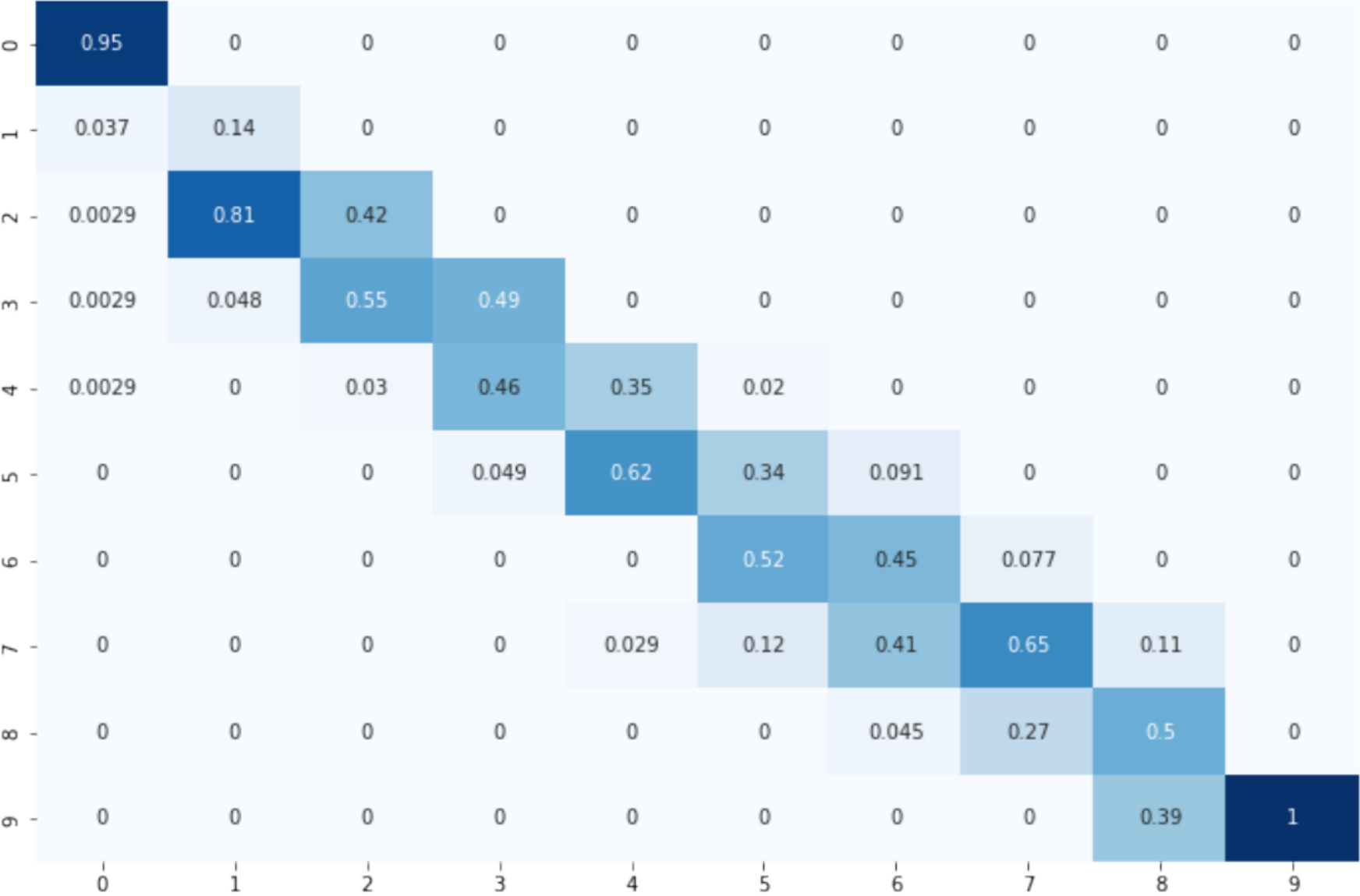
Result [13]: CNN Evaluation



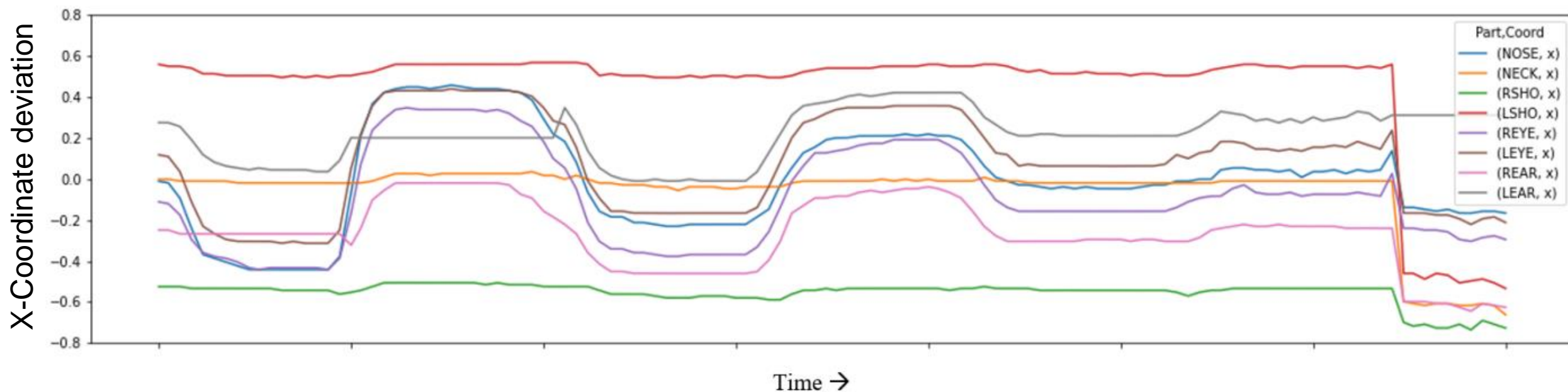
Result [14]:Class wise performance



Result [15]:Best of the 5-Fold Model



Discussion [16]: 1/100 FPS sampling



Abnormality in the multi-line plot

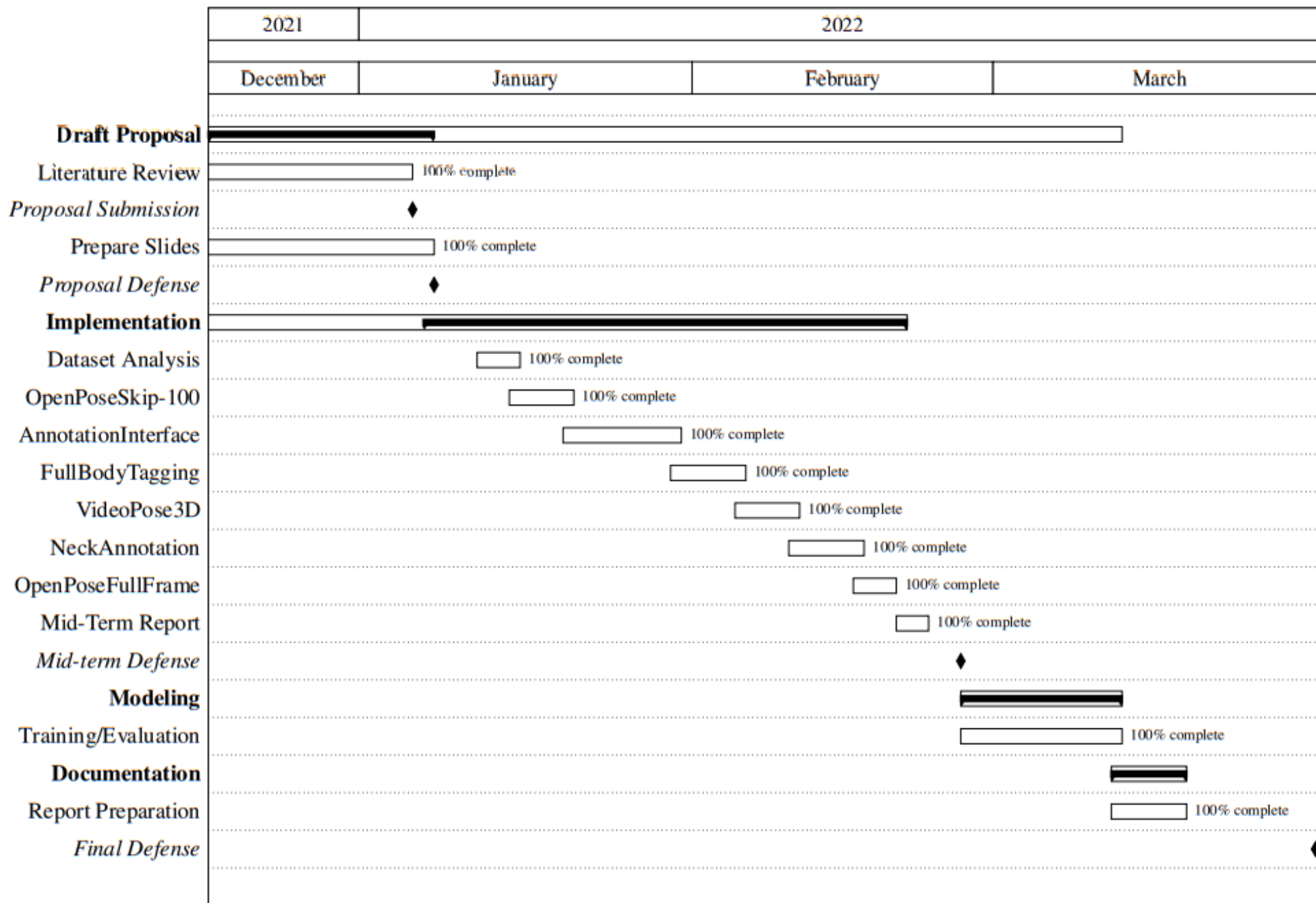
Future Enhancements

- New algorithms/models for:
 - replace Pose Estimations by OpenPose, 3D based models
 - person tracing; handle occlusion
 - for score prediction; different scores
- More data
 - with standardized protocol, uniform
 - for validations as well as training
- Action recognition; semi/auto video segment annotation
 - use of audio in the video

Conclusion

- video processing pipeline for posed based method
 - to process the clinical videos of dystonia patient
 - including FPS, spatial and temporal normalization.
 - used OpenPose for Dystonia Coalition video (first-time)
- used CNNs to predict neck dystonia scores
 - with 5-fold cross validation
- high hopes for CV methods for automatic assessment

Project Schedule



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