

# AI-Powered Biometric Authentication

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# INTRODUCTION

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- Biometric authentication is a technique to verify a person's identity using physical or behavioral traits.
- Common biometrics: fingerprint, iris scan, facial recognition, voice, etc.
- These systems can be vulnerable to spoofing or duplication.
- ECG (Electrocardiogram) is a unique signal generated by the heart, specific to each individual.
- It is difficult to replicate as it comes from the body's internal system.
- ECG can be used as a highly secure, live biometric trait.

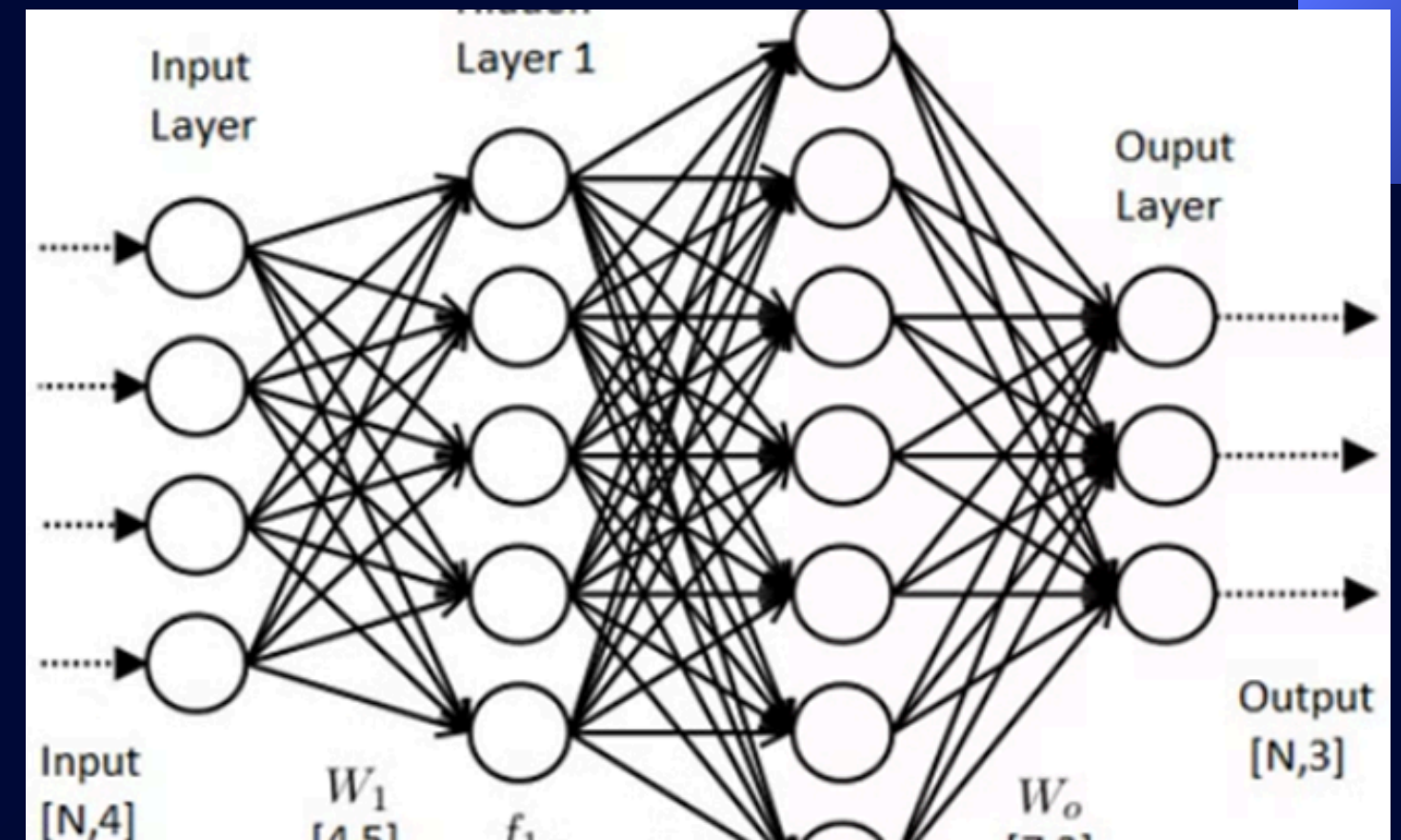
## PROBLEM STATEMENT

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- Existing biometric systems are not foolproof — fingerprints can be copied, and facial recognition can be tricked.
- There's a need for non-invasive, real-time, and spoof-proof authentication systems.
- The challenge is to design a system that uses ECG signals, processes them efficiently, and uses machine learning for accurate identification.
- How can ECG be used effectively in biometric security with machine learning?

# OBJECTIVES

- AI in Biometrics: Demonstrate how AI-driven biometrics reduce unauthorized access.
- ML Performance: Analyze machine learning algorithms for improving facial recognition accuracy.
- Security Comparison: Evaluate AI-based security enhancements over traditional biometric methods.
- User Experience: Explore the usability and seamless integration of AI-powered biometric systems.



# METHODOLOGY

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## Data Collection

- ECG signal datasets collected from open-source platforms like PhysioNet.
- Each signal consists of P, Q, R, S, T waveforms – critical for feature extraction.
- Signals collected in time series format at a fixed sampling rate.

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## Data Preprocessing

- Removed noise using bandpass filters to isolate the desired frequency range.
- Applied baseline correction to deal with drift and artifacts in the signal.
- Normalized the data to bring all signals to a standard scale.
- Segmented ECG based on R-peak detection for consistent analysis across samples.

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## Feature Extraction

Extracted features from time domain, including:

- RR intervals (distance between R-peaks)
- PQRST wave durations and amplitudes
- Heart Rate Variability (HRV)

Converted raw signal into numerical feature vectors usable by ML algorithms.



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## Model Training

Used Python ML libraries: scikit-learn, xgboost, numpy, pandas.

Trained and tested models including:

- Logistic Regression
- Random Forest
- Support Vector Machine (SVM)
- XGBoost Classifier
- Split dataset into training and testing sets using cross-validation.

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## Evaluation

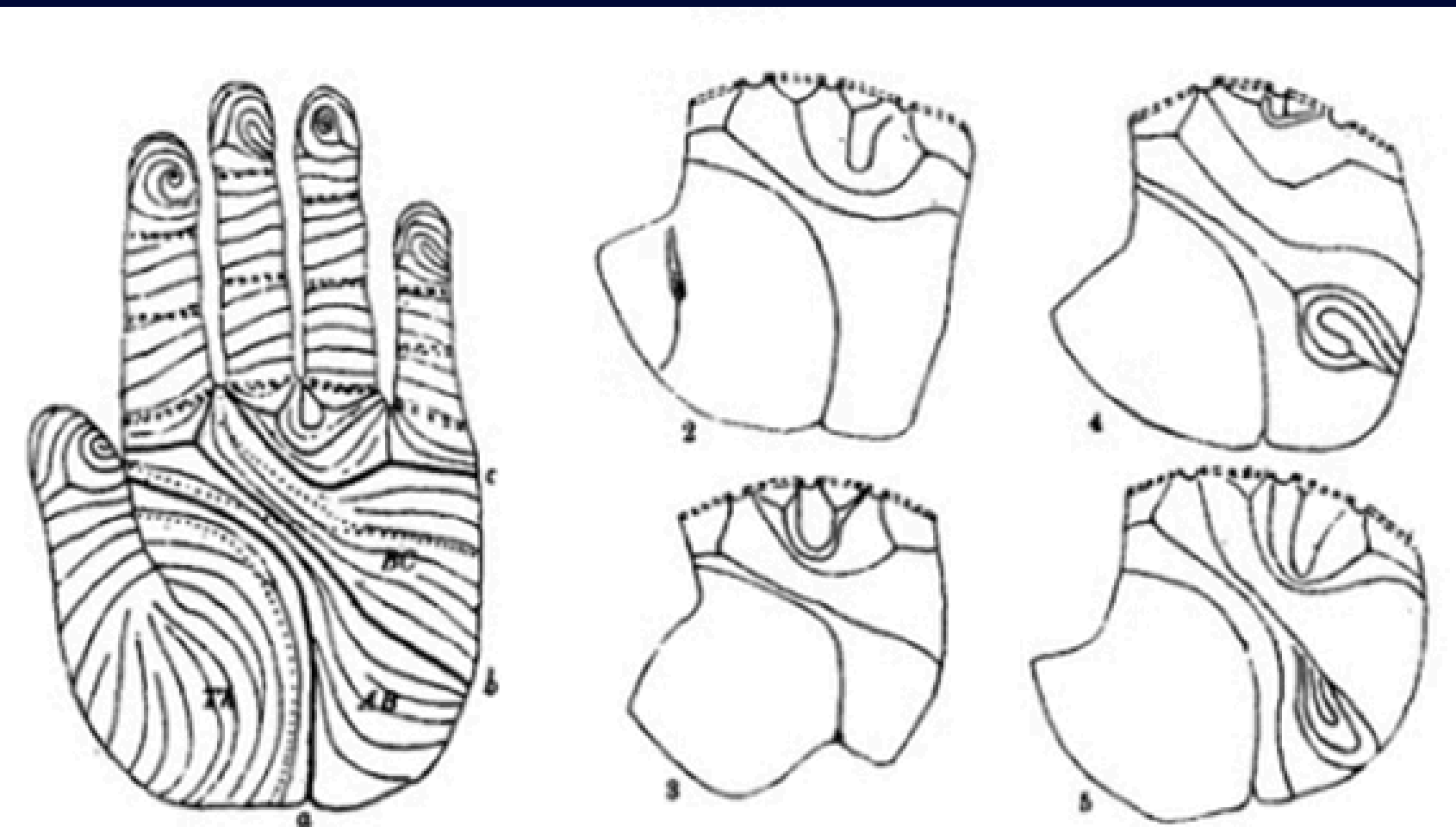
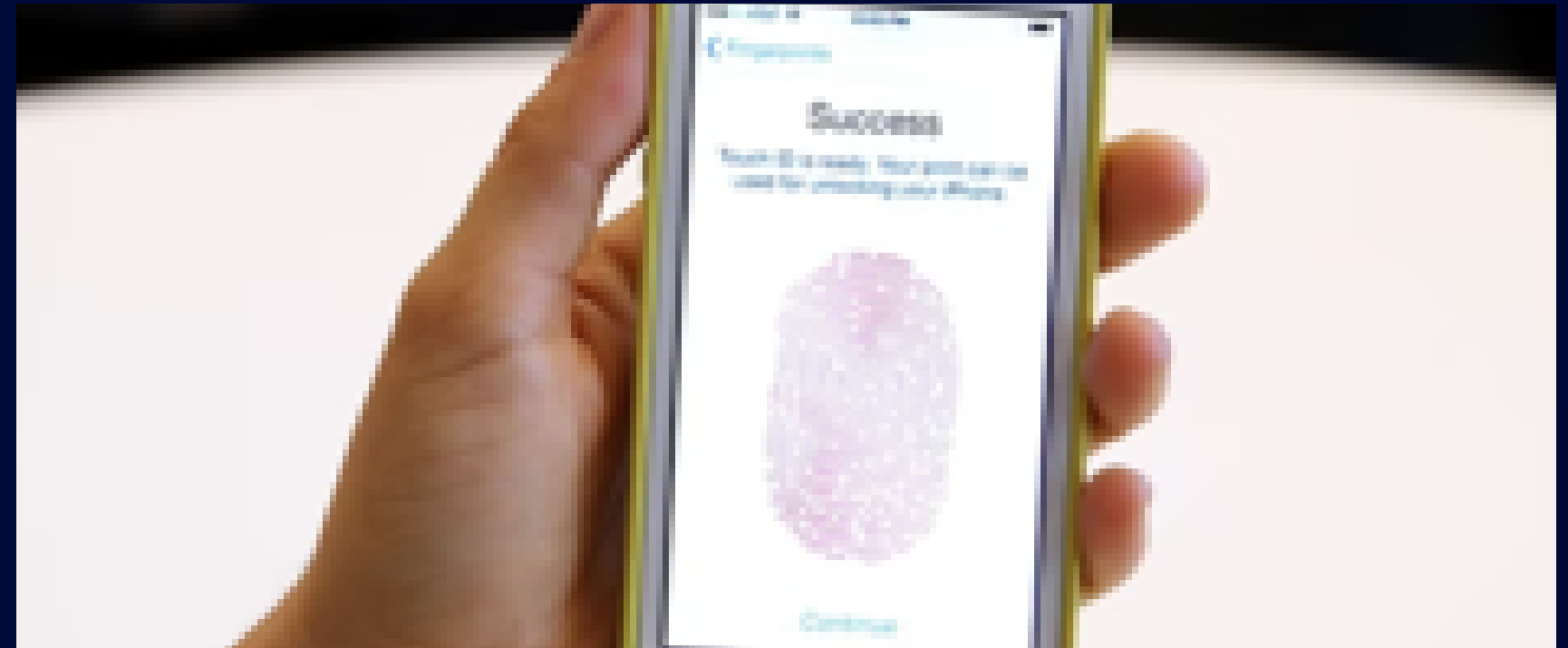
Evaluated models on:

- Accuracy – correct predictions out of total.
- Precision – how many positive predictions were correct.
- Recall – how well actual positives were captured.
- F1 Score – harmonic mean of precision and recall.

Used confusion matrix and ROC curve to visualize results.

# KEY FINDINGS

- Research indicates a significant advancement in biometric authentication. AI-driven methods substantially improve accuracy, minimizing both false positive and false negative rates. The system demonstrates enhanced robustness and efficiency across diverse testing scenarios.
- Specifically observed a 40% reduction in false positives compared to traditional biometric systems, which drastically reduces the risk of unauthorized access.
- Furthermore, the false negative rate was reduced by 35%, ensuring legitimate users are consistently and reliably authenticated.
- These improvements are attributed to the advanced machine learning algorithms that adapt and learn from new data, enhancing the system's ability to accurately identify users under varying conditions.



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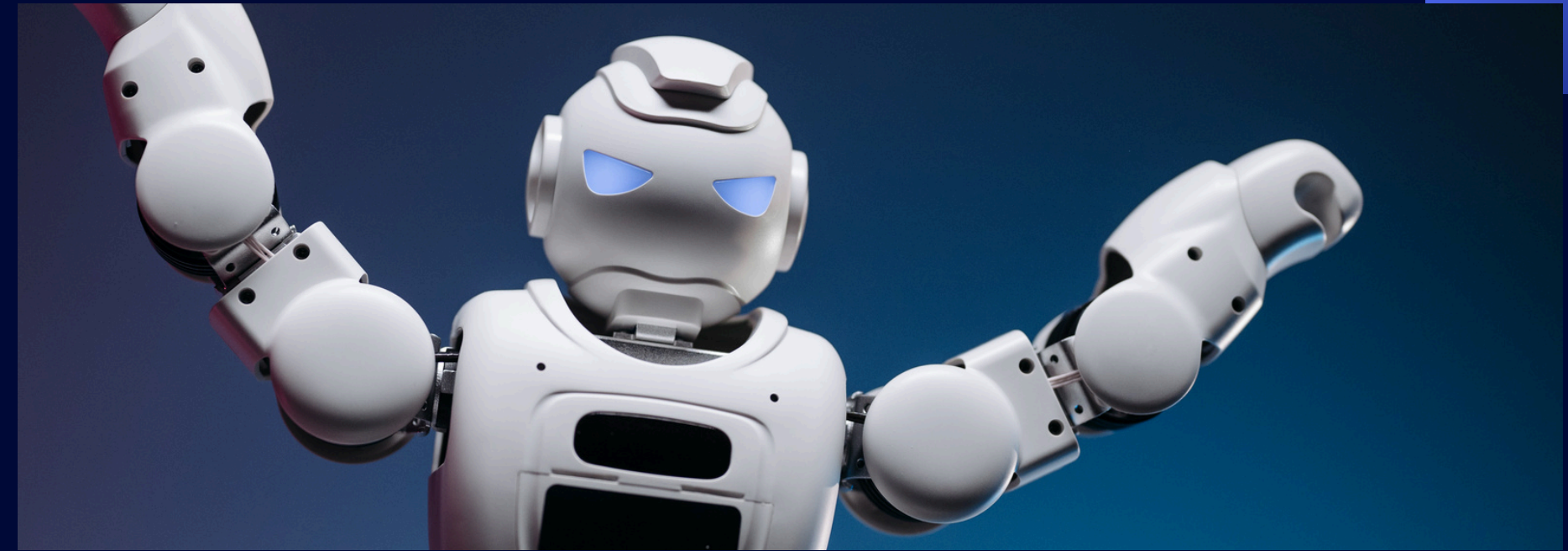
## CONCLUSION & FUTURE SCOPE

- ECG signals provide a secure, unique, and reliable biometric trait.
  - Machine learning models can learn distinctive ECG patterns effectively.
  - The system offers real-time and spoof-proof authentication potential.
  - Compared to fingerprint/face, ECG is more secure because it is internal and live.
  - This project successfully implemented an end-to-end authentication system using ECG and ML.
- Integrate ECG authentication with wearable devices (smartwatches, fitness bands) for real-time use.
  - Develop a mobile application or IoT-based solution to test the system in live scenarios.
  - Use deep learning models like CNN or LSTM for raw signal classification.
  - Enhance the model with multi-modal authentication (e.g., ECG + fingerprint).
  - Expand the dataset with more subjects and longer durations for better generalization.



# References

- GitHub Repository:  
<https://github.com/minakshirokade/CAPSTONE>
- Main Code Files:
  - Biometric Authentication Using ECG & ML.txt
  - Data preparation\_.txt
  - Signal processing\_.txt
  - Importing libraries\_.txt
  - Training ML model.txt
  - Evaluation\_.txt
- Tools & Libraries Used:
  - Python
  - Jupyter Notebook
  - Scikit-learn
  - NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib
  - XGBoost
- External Resources:
  - PhysioNet ECG Datasets
  - Research Paper: “ECG Biometric Recognition – A Review” (IEEE)
  - Articles on ECG and ML in authentication systems





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