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Transformative Approaches in Ophthalmology with Performance Assessment of Support vector machine algorithm against Random Forest Algorithm in Glaucoma Detection from Retinal Images

INTRODUCTION

- > This study investigates transformational AI techniques in ophthalmology by comparing the performance of Support Vector Machines (SVM) and Random Forest algorithms for detecting glaucoma in retinal pictures.
- > This research delves into transformative advancements within ophthalmology, specifically focusing on glaucoma detection. It explores innovative methods that go beyond traditional practices.
- > The study doesn't just propose these new techniques, but critically assesses their effectiveness. At the heart of this investigation lies the comparison of two machine learning algorithms, Support Vector Machine and Random Forest.
- > By evaluating machine learning algorithms for analyzing retinal images, the study could pave the way for more efficient and potentially more accurate tools for ophthalmologists
- > Transformative ophthalmology approaches combine Support Vector Machine's tight decision boundaries with Random Forest's ensemble learning to diagnose glaucoma from retinal pictures.
- ➤ The advantage of the Support Vector Machine(SVM) has proven to be faster when compared with the Random Forest Algorithm(RF).

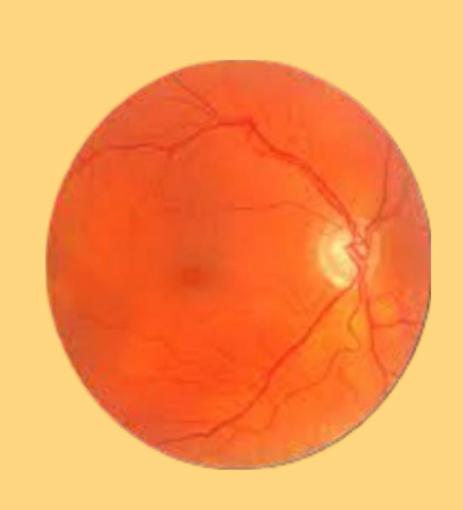


Fig.1 Retinal Image

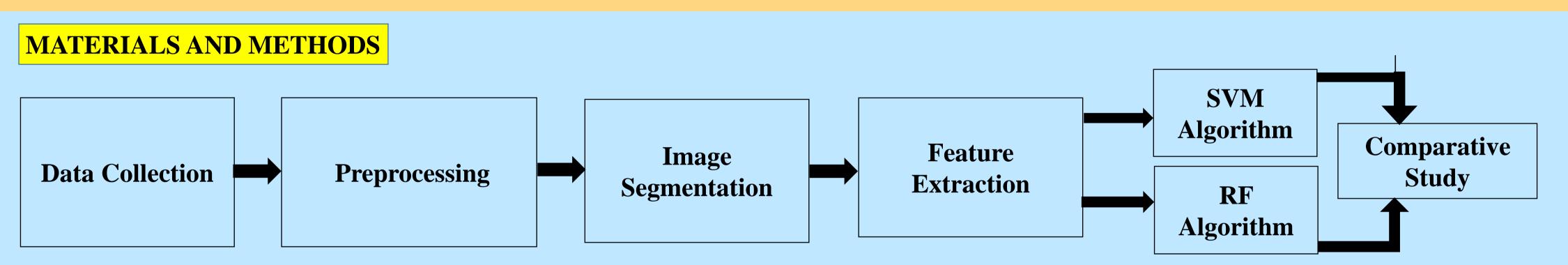


Image Processing Workflow

RESULTS



Fig.2 Bar Graph showing the comparison of the mean accuracy of Glaucoma Detection with SVM and RF

Table 1. Statistical computation of independent samples tested among SVM and RF algorithms

		Group Statistics								
Accuracy	Groups	N	Mean	Std deviation	Std. Error					
					Mean					
	SVM	20	97.1500	1.53125	.3424					
	RF	20	91.5000	2.43872	.5453					

Table 2: The independent sample t-test has a significant value p=0.001(p<0.05) indicating the study between the SVM and the RF is statistically significant.

	Independent Sample T-Test										
	Levene's Test for Equality of Variances				T-test for Equality of Means						
Accurac y	F	Sig	t	df	Sig (2- tailed)	Mean Differenc e	Std. Error Differenc e	95% Con Interval Different Lower	of the		
Equal variance s assumed	1.3	.24	8.775	38	.000	5.65000	.64390	4.34650	6.95350		
Equal variance s not assumed			8.775	31.96 6	.000	5.65000	.64390	4.33837	6.9616		

DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSION

- \triangleright Based on T-test Statistical analysis, the significance value of p=0.001 (independent sample T test p<0.05) is obtained and shows that there is a statistical significant difference between the group 1 and group 2.
- \triangleright Overall , the accuracy of the SVM is 98.00 % and it is better than Random Forest(RF)which has up to 96.00%.
- ➤ The group statics reveal that SVM has mean accuracy of 98.00 with a standard deviation of 1.53125, whereas RF has a mean accuracy of 96.00 with a standard deviation of 2.43872.
- > Glaucoma Detection using SVM and Random Forest algorithms shows promise for improving accuracy and efficiency. SVM provides speed and simplicity, while Random Forest excels at managing complexity. These developments might lead to earlier Glaucoma Detection.
- > Furthermore, the development of models adept at learning future dependencies could offer significant benefits across diverse domains, including artificial intelligence.

 These models could excel in tasks such as detecting and quantifying desolation dependencies.

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